UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

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| In re: | Chapter 7 |
| MLCJR LLC, et al.,1 |) Case No. 23-90324 (CML) |
| Debtors. |) Jointly Administered |
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FEE APPLICATION COVER SHEET SECOND INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF TPS-WEST LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2024 THROUGH MAY 31, 2025

| Name of Applicant: TPS-West LLC | | | | | |
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| Applicant's Role in Case: | Chapter 7 Trustee's Accountant | | | | |
| Date Order of Appointment Signed: | April 22, 2024 (Docket | t No. 1833) | | | |
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| | Beginning of Period End of Period | | | | |
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| Time Period Covered by This Application | October 1, 2024 | May 31, 2025 | | | |
| Time Period(s) Covered by Prior | March 5, 2024 | September 30, 2024 | | | |
| Applications: | | | | | |
| Total Fees Requested in This and in All Prior | r Applications: | \$139,367.00 | | | |
| Total Fees Requested in This Application | | \$71,786.00 | | | |
| Total Professional Fees Requested in This Application | | \$70,222.00 | | | |
| Total Actual Professional Hours Covered by This Application | | 247.20 | | | |
| Average Hourly Rate for Professionals: | | \$294.45 | | | |
| Total Paraprofessional Fees Requested in Th | is Application: | \$1,564.00 | | | |
| Total Actual Paraprofessional Hours Covered | d by This Application: | 12.00 | | | |
| Average Hourly Rate for Paraprofessionals: | | \$130.33 | | | |
| Reimbursable Expenses Sought in This Application: | | \$406.94 | | | |
| Application Cost: | \$72,192.94 | | | | |
| Total of Other Payments Paid to Secured Cla | \$0.00 | | | | |
| Total of Other Payments Paid to Administra | tive Claimants: | \$12,981,392.94 | | | |

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| Estimated Total for Distribution to Priority Unsecured Creditors: | TBD |
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| Estimated Percentage Dividend to Priority Unsecured Creditors: | TBD |
| Estimated Total for Distribution to General Unsecured Creditors: | TBD |
| Estimated Percentage Divided to General Unsecured Creditors: | TBD |
| Receipts to Date: | \$13,509,434.85 |
| Disbursements to Date: | \$12,981,392.94 |
| Current Balance in the Trustee's Accounts: | \$528,041.91 ² |

In the above captioned Chapter 7 case, TPS-West LLC ("<u>TPS</u>") rendered accounting services in favor of the above captioned jointly administered estates (collectively, the "<u>Estates</u>")³ between October 1, 2024 and May 31, 2025 (the "<u>Interim Application Period</u>"). The fee statements for each month covered by the Interim Application Period can be summarized as follows:

| Invoices | | | Compe | per Interim nsation dures | Payments | |
|------------|----------------|-------------|----------|---------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Invoice | Period | Fees | Expenses | Fees | Expenses | Amount Paid |
| (Date) | Covered | | | (at 80%) | | |
| Inv. 3982 | Oct. 1, 2024 – | \$5,345.50 | \$138.20 | \$4,276.40 | \$138.20 | \$4,414.60 |
| (11/13/24) | Oct. 31, 2024 | | | | | |
| Inv. 3994 | Nov. 1, 2024 – | \$2,008.50 | \$17.80 | \$1,606.80 | \$17.80 | \$1,624.60 |
| (12/16/24) | Nov. 30, 2024 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4013 | Dec. 1, 2024 – | \$787.50 | \$0.00 | \$630.00 | \$0.00 | \$630.00 |
| (1/10/25) | Dec. 31, 2024 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4032 | Jan. 1, 2025 – | \$2,917.00 | \$79.94 | \$2,333.60 | \$79.94 | \$2,413.54 |
| (2/12/25) | Jan. 31, 2025 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4059 | Feb. 1, 2025 – | \$1,824.00 | \$96.40 | - | - | - |
| (3.12.25) | Feb. 28, 2025 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4095 | Mar. 1, 2025 – | \$14,877.00 | \$0.00 | - | - | - |
| (4.1.25) | Mar. 31, 2025 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4096 | Apr. 1, 2025 – | \$35,362.50 | \$37.00 | - | - | - |
| (5.1.25) | Apr. 30, 2025 | | | | | |
| Inv. 4105 | May 1, 2025 – | \$8,664.00 | \$37.60 | - | - | - |
| (6.1.25) | May 31, 2025 | | | | | |
| TOTALS | | \$71,786.00 | \$406.94 | \$8,846.80 | \$235.94 | \$9,082.74 |

² This is comprised of: (a) \$142,586.37 in the Trustee's checking account; (b) \$135,455.54 in the cash collateral account; and (c) \$250,000.00 in an account holding the proceeds generated from a sale to W&T Offshore.

³ While TPS was originally retained by Randy W. Williams during his time as interim chapter 7 trustee in this case, the now permanent trustee of the Estates, Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as the chapter 7 trustee, has continued utilizing TPS' services.

The TPS professionals who rendered services in favor of the Estates during the Interim Application Period are:

| | Blended | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|--------|---------|-------------|---------|
| Professional | Rate | Hours | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| James L. Clarke | \$296.77 | 9.30 | 3.59% | \$2,760.00 | 3.84% |
| Natalie S. Hinson | \$130.33 | 12.00 | 4.63% | \$1,564.00 | 2.18% |
| Rhonda B. Fronk | \$275.00 | 99.80 | 38.50% | \$27,445.00 | 38.23% |
| Richard P. | | | | | |
| Anderson | \$322.63 | 22.40 | 8.64% | \$7,227.00 | 10.07% |
| William A. Potter | \$283.41 | 115.70 | 44.64% | \$32,790.00 | 45.68% |
| Total | \$276.95 | 259.20 | 100.00% | \$71,786.00 | 100.00% |

The time and fees devoted to each distinctive task during the Interim Application Period are as follows:

| | Blended | | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------|---------|-------------|---------|
| Task | Rate | Hours | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Federal Income Taxes | \$280.90 | 120.00 | 46.30% | \$33,707.50 | 46.96% |
| General Accounting Consulting | | | | | |
| Services | \$173.51 | 6.70 | 2.58% | \$1,162.50 | 1.62% |
| Payroll, Wage Reporting or | | | | | |
| Contract Labor Reporting | \$228.49 | 9.30 | 3.59% | \$2,125.00 | 2.96% |
| Preference/Fraudulent | | | | | |
| Conveyance Review | \$289.20 | 108.30 | 41.78% | \$31,320.00 | 43.63% |
| State Tax Reporting | \$260.00 | 2.10 | 0.81% | \$546.00 | 0.76% |
| TPSW Fee Application | \$228.52 | 12.80 | 4.94% | \$2,925.00 | 4.07% |
| Total | \$276.95 | 259.20 | 100.00% | \$71,786.00 | 100.00% |

The expenses incurred during the Interim Application Period are comprised of the following:

| Expense | Amount |
|----------------|----------|
| Copies | \$258.00 |
| Postage | \$35.05 |
| PACER | \$72.20 |
| Filing/Mailing | \$41.69 |
| Total | \$406.94 |

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SECOND INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF TPS-WEST LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2024 THROUGH MAY 31, 2025

THIS APPLICATION SEEKS AN ORDER THAT MAY ADVERSELY AFFECT YOU. IF YOU OPPOSE THE APPLICATION, YOU SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE MOVING PARTY TO RESOLVE THE DISPUTE. IF YOU AND THE MOVING PARTY CANNOT AGREE, YOU MUST FILE A RESPONSE AND SEND A COPY TO THE MOVING PARTY. YOU MUST FILE AND SERVE YOUR RESPONSE WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE THIS WAS SERVED ON YOU. YOUR RESPONSE MUST STATE WHY THE APPLICATION SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED. IF YOU DO NOT FILE A TIMELY RESPONSE, THE RELIEF MAY BE GRANTED WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO YOU. IF YOU OPPOSE THE APPLICATION AND HAVE NOT REACHED AN AGREEMENT, YOU MUST ATTEND THE HEARING. UNLESS THE PARTIES AGREE OTHERWISE, THE COURT MAY CONSIDER EVIDENCE AT THE HEARING AND MAY DECIDE THE APPLICATION AT THE HEARING.

REPRESENTED PARTIES SHOULD ACT THROUGH THEIR ATTORNEY.

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TPS-West, LLC ("TPS" or "Applicant"), accountants to Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as the Chapter 7 Trustee (the "Trustee") for the above captioned administratively consolidated estates (collectively, the "Estates"), hereby submits this Second Interim Fee Application of TPS-West LLC as Accountants to the Chapter 7 Trustee for the Period of October 1, 2024 through May 31, 2025 (the "Interim Application"), pursuant to sections 330 and 331 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Rule 2016 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and Rule 2016-1 of the Local Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas (the "Local Rules").

RELIEF REQUESTED

By this Interim Application, which encapsulates the period between October 1, 2024 through May 31, 2025 (the "Interim Application Period"), TPS seeks interim approval and allowance, as an administrative expense, for the aggregate sum of \$72,192.94, which is comprised of:

- (i) compensation for professionals in the amount of \$71,786.00; and
- (ii) reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses in the sum of \$406.94.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 1. This Court has jurisdiction to consider this Interim Application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. This matter is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b). Venue is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.
- 2. The statutory predicates for the relief requested herein include 11 U.S.C. §§ 330 and 331, FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014 and 2016, and Rule 2016-1 of the Local Rules.

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

3. On May 14, 2023 (the "<u>Petition Date</u>"), the following entities (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>" and individually, "<u>Debtor</u>") filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of title

11 of the United States Code (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division ("Court" or "Bankruptcy Court"):

- (i) MLCJR LLC (Case No. 23-90324);
- (ii) M21K, LLC (Case No. 23-90325);
- (iii) EPL Oil & Gas, LLC ("<u>EPL Oil</u>") (Case No. 23-90326);
- (iv) Cox Operating, LLC ("Cox Operating") (Case No. 23-90327);
- (v) Cox Oil Offshore, LLC ("Cox Oil") (Case No. 23-90328);
- (vi) Energy XXI Gulf Coast, LLC (Case No. 23-90329); and
- (vii) Energy XXI GOM, LLC ("XXI GOM") (Case No. 23-90330).
- 4. On May 16, 2023, the Court entered that certain *Order Authorizing Joint Administration of the Chapter 11 Cases*² providing that the bankruptcy "cases are consolidated for procedural purposes only and shall be jointly administered by this Court under Case No. 23-90324 (CML)."³
- 5. On February 28, 2024, the Debtors' bankruptcy cases (collectively, the "Bankruptcy Cases") were converted to chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code.⁴
- 6. On February 29, 2024, the United States Trustee appointed Randy W. Williams as interim trustee (the "<u>Interim Trustee</u>").
- 7. On March 13, 2024, the Interim Trustee filed that certain *Application to Employ TPS-West LLC as Accountant to the Trustee* (the "Retention Application"), which sought this

² Doc. No. 103. Unless otherwise specified, Doc. Nos. refer to Case No. 23-90324.

³ While the above captioned bankruptcy case was pending under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Court entered that certain *Order Granting Complex Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Case Treatment* [Doc. No. 104] which provided "The Procedures for Complex Chapter 11 Cases in the Southern District of Texas apply to these cases." These, however, are no longer applicable given this matter is now pending under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. ⁴ Doc. No. 1720.

Court's approval of the Interim Trustee's retention and employment of TPS as the Interim Trustee's accountants.⁵

- 8. On April 22, 2024, the Court entered that certain *Order Granting Trustee's Motion* for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals (the "Interim Compensation Procedures Order").⁶
- 9. That same date, the Court entered that certain *Order Authorizing Employment of TPS-West LLC as Accountant to the Trustee* (the "Retention Order"), which authorized the Interim Trustee's retention and employment of TPS.⁷
- 10. On April 25, 2024, Amarillo National Bank ("Amarillo"), in its capacity as the administrative agent and collateral agent, acting at the direction of the Debtor-In Possession Lenders (the "DIP Lenders") filed that certain *Emergency Motion for Entry of Agreed Order Resolving Disputed Election of Trustee Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2003 and Enforcing Trustee Election Results.*8
- 11. On May 6, 2024, the Court entered that certain Agreed Order Resolving Disputed Election of Trustee Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2003 and Enforcing Trustee Election Results providing that "Michael D. Warner shall be the permanent chapter 7 trustee in these Cases, subject to Mr. Warner's ability to qualify under 11 U.S.C. § 322(a)."
- 12. On May 8, 2024, the Trustee filed that certain *Notice of Bond and Acceptance of Election*.¹⁰

⁵ Doc. No. 1756.

⁶ Doc. No. 1831.

⁷ Doc. No. 1833.

⁸ Doc. No. 1850.

⁹ Doc. No. 1919.

¹⁰ Doc. No. 1996.

13. Since acceptance of his appointment, the Trustee has continued to utilize the services provided by TPS.

14. On December 2, 2024, TPS filed that certain *First Interim Fee Application of TPS-West LLC as Accountants to the Chapter 7 Trustee for the Period of March 5, 2024 Through September 30, 2024* (the "First Interim Application"),¹¹ seeking, for the period between March 5, 2024 and September 30, 2024 (the "First Period") an award of \$71,560.55, comprised of \$67,581.00 in fees and \$3,979.55 in expenses.

15. On January 8, 2025, the Court entered that certain *Order Granting First Interim Fee Application of TPS-West LLC as Accountants to the Chapter 7 Trustee for the Period of March* 5, 2024 Through September 30, 2024 (the "First Interim Order"), 12 which granted the First Interim Application, and awarded TPS, for the First Period, \$67,581.00 in fees and \$3,979.55 in expenses for a total award of \$71,560.55.

COMPENSATION AND ITS SOURCE

- 16. All services for which compensation is requested by TPS were performed on behalf of the Trustee and for the benefit of the Estates.
- 17. During the Interim Application Period, TPS has received no payment and no promises for payment from any source other than the Estates for services rendered or to be rendered in any capacity whatsoever in connection with the matters covered by this Interim Application. There is no agreement or understanding between TPS and any other person other than the partners of TPS for the sharing of compensation to be received for services rendered in these chapter 7 cases.

¹¹ Doc. No. 2305.

¹² Doc. No. 2342.

18. TPS's individual fee statements for each month covered by the Interim Application Period are attached as **Exhibit** "A". Each fee statement contains daily time logs describing the time spent by each accountant and paraprofessional for each month. The hourly rates set forth in the monthly fee statements (and invoices) are those customarily charged by TPS for similar accounting services. TPS's fees for services rendered by accountants and other professionals are customary and usual in the community in which TPS practices. To the best of TPS's knowledge, this Interim Application complies with sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the Local Rules. The fee statements for each month covered by the Interim Application Period can be summarized as follows:

| Invoices | | | Circulated | per Interim | Payments | |
|------------|----------------|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|-------------|
| | | | | nsation | | |
| | | | | Proce | dures | |
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19. The fee statements for the months of October, November, December, and January were circulated and no portion of the fees or expenses were objected to. The remaining invoices (i.e., for February, March, April, and May) have not been circulated as of the filing of this Interim Application.

20. The Trustee, having reviewed this Interim Application, approves this Interim Application.

ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES

21. During the Interim Application Period, TPS incurred expenses in connection with its services in favor of the Estates totaling \$406.94. These expenses are summarized in **Exhibit** "B". TPS submits that all effort was made to keep out-of-pocket expenses at a minimum and that such expenses are reasonable based on the services provided by TPS.

SUMMARY OF SERVICES RENDERED

- 22. During the Interim Application Period, TPS prepared various tax forms and reports (e.g., Form 1065 for 2023 tax return, franchise tax reports for 2024 and 2025, and 2024 tax return). Similarly, TPS coordinated with the Trustee's general counsel, Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC ("SRBA") to pull the necessary financial records and reports to allow SRBA to advise the Trustee in connection with avoidance actions belonging to the Estates.
- 23. The services rendered by TPS during the Interim Application Period can be grouped into the categories generally described in **Exhibit** "C". Although every effort has been made to properly and consistently categorize the actual services provided into the appropriate category, certain tasks could be properly categorized into two or more tasks.

FACTORS SUPPORTING AWARD

- 24. In *In re Crager*, 691 F.3d 671, 676 (5th Cir. 2012), the Fifth Circuit ruled that the six factors found in 11 U.S.C. §330(a)(3) are to be considered when awarding compensation to professionals. Under §330, the court "shall consider the nature, the extent, and the value of such services, taking into account all relevant factors," including
 - (A) the time spent on such services;

- **(B)** the rates charged for such services;
- **(C)** whether the services were necessary to the administration of, or beneficial at the time at which the service was rendered toward the completion of, a case under this title;
- **(D)** whether the services were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed;
- (E) with respect to a professional person, whether the person is board certified or otherwise has demonstrated skill and experience in the bankruptcy field; and
- **(F)** whether the compensation is reasonable based on the customary compensation charged by comparably skilled practitioners in cases other than cases under this title.
- 11 U.S.C. § 330(a)(3).
- 25. Rejecting the "hindsight" or "material benefit" standard that was originally set forth in *In re Pro-Snax Distributors, Inc.*, 157 F.3d 414 (5th Cir. 1998), the Fifth Circuit adopted a prospective standard based on whether the services of counsel were reasonably likely to benefit the estate at the time in which they were rendered. *See In re Woerner*, 783 F.3d 266, 276 (5th Cir. 2015). All services rendered by TPS satisfy the *Woerner* standard because they were reasonably likely to benefit the Estates at the time rendered.
- 26. TPS further submits that the following analysis of the § 330(a)(3) factors to its services rendered in these chapter 7 cases is appropriate:
 - a. The Time and Labor Expended The charge for TPS's services in this case for the Interim Application Period totals \$71,786.00. The actual time expended by TPS in the Interim Application Period is set forth in detail in Exhibit "A" attached hereto. In addition, attached as Exhibit "C" is a breakdown by project of time expended on discrete matters during the progression of this case. TPS believes the time spent performing accounting services was commensurate with the issues involved.
 - b. The Rate Charged for Such Services. TPS has applied for allowance of compensation for fees that reflect its billing rates charged to clients by TPS and previously approved and/or set by courts in which TPS has appeared. TPS believes that its customary fees for services are equal to or below those of other firms in the national accounting community and should be within the range of fees approved for accountants of similar experience within this district.

- c. Whether the services were necessary to the administration of, or beneficial at the time at which the service was rendered toward the completion of, a case under this title. TPS asserts that all services provided were necessary to the administration of and/or beneficial to the Estates at the time the services were rendered. Where TPS deemed the time spent not to be a benefit, it either indicates "no charge" or "reduced" or, in some situations, did not put the time into its billing system.
- d. Whether the services were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed. TPS submits that the time put into this case is commensurate with the level of difficulty of the issues presented. When possible, particular projects have been handled by a professional or paraprofessional with a lower billing rate.
- e. With respect to a professional person, whether the person is board certified or otherwise has demonstrated skill and experience in the bankruptcy field. TPS believes and respectfully submits that its accountants are highly regarded as accountants in bankruptcy and insolvency. TPS has extensive experience in handling bankruptcy and insolvency matters on behalf of trustees in bankruptcy cases.
- 27. "The Fifth Circuit uses the 'lodestar' method to calculate attorneys fees." Transamerican Natural Gas Corp. v. Zapata P'ship, Ltd. (In re Fender), 12 F.3d 480, 487 (5th Cir. 1994) (citation omitted). The lodestar is the number of hours reasonably expended multiplied by "the prevailing hourly rate in the community for similar work." Id. The request for fees is then adjusted upward or downward based on the iconic "Johnson factors." Johnson v. Georgia Highway Express, Inc., 488 F.2d 714 (5th Cir. 1974). A detailed description of the application of each of these factors relevant to this Application is set forth below.
 - a. **The Novelty and Difficulty of Issues** This case has presented issues of greater complexity than cases customarily brought before this Court.
 - b. The Skills Required for Performance of Services TPS's accountants have appeared before courts throughout Texas in bankruptcy cases on behalf of trustees for many years. TPS believes and respectfully submits that it is highly regarded in accounting matters involving bankruptcy and insolvency. TPS's accountants possess the experience, reputation, and ability to merit an award for the requested compensation and reimbursement.

- c. **Preclusion from Other Employment** While TPS was not precluded from other employment during the Interim Application Period, the professionals who have devoted time to this case were prevented from working on other matters.
- d. The Customary Fees TPS has applied for allowance of compensation for fees that reflect its billing rates charged to clients by TPS. TPS believes that its customary fees for services are equal to or below those of other firms in the national accounting community and within the range of fees approved for accountants of similar experience within Texas bankruptcy courts.
- e. **Contingent Nature of Fees** These fees were contingent to the extent that all fees due counsel in a pending bankruptcy proceeding are contingent upon the success of the case, the availability of cash, review by the Office of the United States Trustee, Region 7, and the approval of the Court.
- f. **Time Limitations and Other Circumstances** Intermittently throughout TPS's employment, it has had to work quickly to resolve matters.
- g. The Amount Involved and the Results Obtained TPS submits that the amount sought is fully commensurate with the results obtained. TPS respectfully submits that its services were, at the time rendered, believed to be necessary for and beneficial to the Estates and were rendered to protect and preserve the interests of the Estates during the pendency of the chapter 7 cases. As demonstrated herein, TPS spent its time economically and without unnecessary duplication. The services were performed in an effective and efficient manner commensurate with the complexity, exigency, and importance of the issues involved.
- h. **Experience, Reputation and Ability** The Interim Trustee selected TPS based on its extensive experience and knowledge of matters likely to arise in chapter 7 cases.
- i. The Undesirability of the Case This case was not undesirable.
- j. The Nature and Length of the Professional Relationship with the Client –TPS has represented the Trustee since May 2024.
- k. **Awards in Similar Cases** TPS avers that an order of compensation on the basis provided for is comparable to that awarded in similar cases in this district and in other Texas bankruptcy courts.

CERTIFICATION OF PROFESSIONAL

28. By signing this Interim Application, Richard P. Anderson of TPS, does hereby certify that (i) he has have read this application; (ii) to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, formed after reasonable inquiry, the compensation and expense reimbursement sought is in

conformity with applicable guidelines, except as specifically noted in the application; and (iii) the compensation and expense reimbursement requested are billed at rates in accordance with practices no less favorable than those customarily employed by TPS and generally accepted by TPS's clients.

EXHIBITS TO INTERIM APPLICATON

- 29. Additionally, attached to this Interim Application are the following:
- <u>Exhibit A</u>: TPS's monthly invoices previously circulated under the Interim Compensation Procedures Order.
- Exhibit B: Aggregate amount of expenses requested in the Interim Application Period, categorized by type of expense.
- **Exhibit C**: Aggregate amount of fees requested in the Interim Application Period, categorized by task, as well as all time entries filtered by such tasks.
- Exhibit D: Aggregate valuation of services chart identifying the professionals and paraprofessionals who rendered services during the Interim Application Period relating to each category, along with the aggregate number of hours for each individual and the total billed amount.
- Exhibit E: The Trustee's Form 2, entitled *Cash Receipts and Disbursements Record* ("Form 2"), evidencing that the Trustee has \$528,041.91¹³ in cash on deposit as of August 18, 2025.

WHEREFORE, TPS respectfully requests that the Court enter the Proposed Order: (a) approving the Interim Application; (b) allowing, on an interim basis as an administrative expense, compensation and reimbursement of expenses in the aggregate amount of \$72,192.94, as the sum of (i) compensation in the amount of \$71,786.00 and (ii) reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses in the amount of \$406.94; (c) allowing the Trustee to pay the remaining balance of the

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¹³ This is comprised of: (a) \$142,586.37 in the Trustee's checking account; (b) \$135,455.54 in the cash collateral account; and (c) \$250,000.00 in an account holding the proceeds generated from a sale to W&T Offshore.

aforementioned amounts; and (d) granting such other and further relief as this Court may deem just and proper.

Dated: August 27, 2025 Respectfully Submitted,

STEWART ROBBINS BROWN & ALTAZAN, LLC

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EXHIBIT A

(Monthly Invoices)

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

| |) |
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| In re: | Chapter 7 |
| MLCJR LLC, et al.,1 |) Case No. 23-90324 (CML) |
| Debtors |) Jointly Administered |
| |) |

EIGHTH MONTHLY STATEMENT OF SERVICES RENDERED AND EXPENSES INCURRED FOR THE PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 31, 2024 BY TPS-WEST, LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE TRUSTEE

TPS-West, LLC ("<u>TPS</u>"), accountants for Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as chapter 7 trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>") for the above-captioned administratively consolidated estates (collectively, the "<u>Estates</u>"), hereby submits this Eighth Monthly Fee Statement for Services Rendered and Expenses Incurred (the "<u>Monthly Fee Statement</u>") for the period ending October 31, 2024 (the "<u>Statement Period</u>"), in accordance with the Court's *Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals* [Docket # 1831] establishing interim compensation procedures (the "<u>Interim Compensation Order</u>"). In support of the Monthly Fee Statement, TPS respectfully represents as follows:

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: MLCJR LLC (0875); Cox Oil Offshore, L.L.C. (7047); Cox Operating, L.L.C. (0939); Energy XXI GOM, LLC (0027); Energy XXI Gulf Coast, LLC (8595); EPL Oil & Gas, LLC (9562); and M21K, LLC (3978). The Debtors' address is 4514 Cole Ave, Suite 1175, Dallas, Texas 75205.

1. TPS respectfully submits this Monthly Fee Statement seeking compensation for reasonable, actual and necessary services and expenses rendered by TPS on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period:

| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Name of Applicant: | TPS-West, LLC | | | |
| | Chapter 7 Trustee's | | | |
| Applicant's Role in Case: | Accountant | | | |
| Date of Retention: | March 5, 2024 | | | |
| | Oct 1, 2024 through Oct 31, | | | |
| Period Covered by this Statement: | 2024 | | | |
| Number Monthly Fee Statements: | Eighth | | | |
| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY OF FEES AN | ID EXPENSES | | | |
| Total Statement Period Fees | \$5,345.50 | | | |
| Total Interim Fees (80%) Requested | \$4,276.40 | | | |
| Total Expenses Requested | \$138.20 | | | |
| Total Interim Remuneration Requested (exclusive of holdback): | \$4,414.60 | | | |

In accordance with the Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals [Docket no. 1831], each party receiving notice of the monthly fee statement will have until 5:00 p.m. (Prevailing Central Time), 10 days after the filing of the monthly fee statement to object to the requested fees and expenses. Upon the expiration of such 10-day period, the Trustee is authorized to pay the professional the amount of 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses requested in the applicable monthly fee statement.

2. The following chart presents certain information regarding the TPS professionals whose work on these chapter 7 cases compensation is sought in this Fee Statement:

| User Summary | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------|------------|
| Name | Hrs | Rate/hr | Amount |
| James L. Clarke | 1.70 | \$300.00 | \$510.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 0.90 | 0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Rhonda B. Fronk | 4.70 | 275.00 | \$1,292.50 |
| Richard P. Anderson | 10.10 | 330.00 | \$3,333.00 |
| Richard P. Anderson | 0.30 | 0.00 | \$0.00 |
| W. Arthur Potter | 0.70 | 300.00 | \$210.00 |

3. TPS' invoice covering the Statement Period and providing a detailed statement of both (a) hours spent rendering accounting services to the Trustee and (b) disbursements made or

incurred by TPS in connection with services performed on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period is attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"**.

- 4. Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, TPS seeks payment of \$4,414.60 from the Trustee for the Statement Period, representing (a) 80% of TPS's total fees for services rendered and (b) 100% of the total expenses incurred during the Statement Period.
- 5. Although every effort has been made to include all fees and expenses incurred during the Statement Period, some fees and expenses might not be included in this Monthly Fee Statement due to delays caused by accounting and processing during the Statement Period. TPS reserves the right to seek allowance of such fees and expenses not included herein.

Dated: December 13, 2024 Respectfully Submitted,

STEWART ROBBINS BROWN & ALTAZAN, LLC

By: /s/Paul Douglas Stewart, Jr.

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MLCJR LLC, et al. EXHIBIT A

DETAILED TIME AND EXPENSE ENTRIES Time Period – Oct 1, 2024 – Oct 31, 2024

TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to:
MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

November 13, 2024

Invoice #3982

Professional Services

| | | | | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|------------|---------|--|---|------------------------------------|-------------|
| | Federa | Il Income Taxes | | | |
| 10/1/2024 | RBF | Finish preparation of tax workpapers to support 2023 Form 1065 income tax return | | 3.70 | \$1,017.50 |
| 10/4/2024 | RPA | Review of 2023 Form 1065 inclusive of associated working papers. | | \$275.00/hr 6.80 \$330.00/hr | \$2,244.00 |
| 10/21/2024 | RPA | Email exchange with Whitley Penn group regarding status of return. | | 0.30 \$330.00/hr | \$99.00 |
| 10/22/2024 | RPA | Email exchange with M Warner regarding changes to be made for 2023 tax filing. Review of updated return attachment prepared by trustee. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| 10/23/2024 | RBF | Update 2023 Form 1065 income tax package to incorporate new Trustee Statement prepared by Trustee Michael Warner. | | 0.60 \$275.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| | RPA | Review updated form 2023 per M Warner request to modify. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| 10/25/2024 | RPA | Forward 2023 draft tax return to Whitley Penn at trustee request for pre-filing review | | 0.60 \$330.00/hr | \$198.00 |
| 10/28/2024 | RPA | Email exchange with Whitley Penn regarding 2023 tax return; question was whether Cox Operating was included in the return. It was not as it is owned separately. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| | SUBTO | DTAL: | [| 14.40 | \$4,515.50] |
| | Genera | al Accounting Consulting Services | | | |
| 10/3/2024 | NH | Download file copy of 6th Monthly Fee Statement for TPS-West; note issue with the exhibit. | | 0.20 | NO CHARGE |
| 10/25/2024 | WAP | Attempt to access OGSys for attorneys. Try to troubleshoot. Unable to access with current credentials. | | 0.50 \$300.00/hr | \$150.00 |
| 10/31/2024 | WAP | Resubmit request to Doug Stewart to regain access to OGSys. | | 0.20 \$300.00/hr | \$60.00 |
| | SUBTO | DTAL: | [| 0.90 | \$210.00] |
| | State T | ax Reporting | | | |
| 10/1/2024 | RBF | Prepare draft of Report Year 2024 Texas franchise tax report for review. | | 0.40 \$275.00/hr | \$110.00 |
| | SUBTO | DTAL: | [| 0.40 | \$110.00] |

MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)

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|-----------------------------------|---|---|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | PSW Fee Application | | | | |
| 10/7/2024 | IH Download file copy of amended 6th M fee app file on same. | lonthly Fee Statement for TPS-West; update | | 0.20 | NO CHARGE |
| 10/8/2024 | | | | 0.90 \$300.00/hr | \$270.00 |
| | IH Review TPSW invoice for time incurre tracker re: 20% holdback on same. | ed in September 2024; update fee app | | 0.20 | NO CHARGE |
| 10/9/2024 | RPA Review of Sept 2024 invoice. LC Prepare summary time-task schedule counsel's request). | to accompany fee application filing (at | | 0.30 0.70 \$300.00/hr | NO CHARGE \$210.00 |
| | LC Compose/send email with September | 2024 invoice to Trustee's counsel for review. | | 0.10 \$300.00/hr | \$30.00 |
| 10/16/2024 | IH Review/download file copy of TPSW's tracker. | 7th monthly fee statement; update fee app | | 0.30 | NO CHARGE |
| | UBTOTAL: | | [| 2.70 | \$510.00] |
| | or professional services rendered | | _ | 18.40 | \$5,345.50 |
| | dditional Charges : | | | | |
| | Copy Expense | | | | |
| 10/1/2024 | H Monthly Copy Count: September 2024 | 4. | | | \$66.00 |
| | UBTOTAL: | | | | [\$66.00] |
| | Other Expenses | | | | |
| 10/11/2024 | IH 2024 Q3 Pacer charges: Cox Oil | | | | \$72.20 |
| | UBTOTAL: | | | | [\$72.20] |
| | otal costs | | | | \$138.20 |
| | otal amount of this bill | | | = | \$5,483.70 |
| | | User Summary | | | |
| Name | | | urs | Rate | Amount |
| James L. Clark Natalie S. Hins | | | .70).90 | \$300.00 \$0.00 | \$510.00 \$0.00 |
| Rhonda B. Fro | (| | .70 | \$275.00 | \$1,292.50 |
| Richard P. And | | |).10 | \$330.00 | \$3,333.00 |
| Richard P. And William A. Pot | | |).30).70 | \$0.00 \$300.00 | \$0.00 \$210.00 |

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

| In re: |) Chapter 7 |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| MLCJR LLC, et al.,1 |) Case No. 23-90324 (CML) |
| Debtors |) Jointly Administered |
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NINTH MONTHLY STATEMENT OF SERVICES RENDERED AND EXPENSES INCURRED FOR THE PERIOD ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 2024 BY TPS-WEST, LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE TRUSTEE

TPS-West, LLC ("<u>TPS</u>"), accountants for Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as chapter 7 trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>") for the above-captioned administratively consolidated estates (collectively, the "<u>Estates</u>"), hereby submits this Ninth Monthly Fee Statement for Services Rendered and Expenses Incurred (the "<u>Monthly Fee Statement</u>") for the period ending November 30, 2024 (the "<u>Statement Period</u>"), in accordance with the Court's *Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals* [Docket # 1831] establishing interim compensation procedures (the "<u>Interim Compensation Order</u>"). In support of the Monthly Fee Statement, TPS respectfully represents as follows:

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: MLCJR LLC (0875); Cox Oil Offshore, L.L.C. (7047); Cox Operating, L.L.C. (0939); Energy XXI GOM, LLC (0027); Energy XXI Gulf Coast, LLC (8595); EPL Oil & Gas, LLC (9562); and M21K, LLC (3978). The Debtors' address is 4514 Cole Ave, Suite 1175, Dallas, Texas 75205.

1. TPS respectfully submits this Monthly Fee Statement seeking compensation for reasonable, actual and necessary services and expenses rendered by TPS on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period:

| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Name of Applicant: | TPS-West, LLC | | | | |
| | Chapter 7 Trustee's | | | | |
| Applicant's Role in Case: | Accountant | | | | |
| Date of Retention: | March 5, 2024 | | | | |
| | Nov 1, 2024 through Nov 30, | | | | |
| Period Covered by this Statement: | 2024 | | | | |
| Number Monthly Fee Statements: | Ninth | | | | |
| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY OF FEES AND EXPENSES | | | | | |
| Total Statement Period Fees | \$2,008.50 | | | | |
| Total Interim Fees (80%) Requested | \$1,606.80 | | | | |
| Total Expenses Requested | \$17.80 | | | | |
| Total Interim Remuneration Requested (exclusive of holdback): \$1,624.60 | | | | | |

In accordance with the Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals [Docket no. 1831], each party receiving notice of the monthly fee statement will have until 5:00 p.m. (Prevailing Central Time), 10 days after the filing of the monthly fee statement to object to the requested fees and expenses. Upon the expiration of such 10-day period, the Trustee is authorized to pay the professional the amount of 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses requested in the applicable monthly fee statement.

2. The following chart presents certain information regarding the TPS professionals whose work on these chapter 7 cases compensation is sought in this Fee Statement:

| User Summary | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------|----------|
| Name | Hours | Rate | Amount |
| James L. Clarke | 1.10 | \$300.00 | \$330.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 0.10 | \$170.00 | \$17.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 0.60 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Rhonda B. Fronk | 0.50 | \$275.00 | \$137.50 |
| Richard P. Anderson | 2.80 | \$330.00 | \$924.00 |
| William A. Potter | 2.00 | \$300.00 | \$600.00 |

3. TPS' invoice covering the Statement Period and providing a detailed statement of both (a) hours spent rendering accounting services to the Trustee and (b) disbursements made or

incurred by TPS in connection with services performed on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period is attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"**.

- 4. Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, TPS seeks payment of \$1,624.60 from the Trustee for the Statement Period, representing (a) 80% of TPS's total fees for services rendered and (b) 100% of the total expenses incurred during the Statement Period.
- 5. Although every effort has been made to include all fees and expenses incurred during the Statement Period, some fees and expenses might not be included in this Monthly Fee Statement due to delays caused by accounting and processing during the Statement Period. TPS reserves the right to seek allowance of such fees and expenses not included herein.

Dated: February 4, 2025 Respectfully Submitted,

STEWART ROBBINS BROWN & ALTAZAN, LLC

By: /s/Paul Douglas Stewart, Jr.

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Counsel for Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7 Trustee

MLCJR LLC, et al. EXHIBIT A

DETAILED TIME AND EXPENSE ENTRIES Time Period – Nov 1, 2024 – Nov 30, 2024 TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to:
MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

December 16, 2024

Invoice #3994

Professional Services

| | | | | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|--|--------|---|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Federa | al Income Taxes | | | |
| 11/4/2024 | RBF | Update draft of 2023 Form 1065 income tax return for review, to implement | | 0.20 \$275.00/hr | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | changes requested by Trustee Michael Warner. Update federal 505(b) letter for 2023 Form 1065 income tax package to implement changes requested by Trustee Michael Warner. | t | 0.30 \$275.00/hr | \$82.50 |
| | RPA | Request original signatures from M. Warner to be mailed to our office as he wants us to handle filing. | | 0.20 \$330.00/hr | \$66.00 |
| | RPA | Discussion with R. Fronk to update/prepare 505(b) Letter. | | 0.20 \$330.00/hr | \$66.00 |
| | RPA | Follow up email exchange with Whitley Penn to discuss items of question with return. | | 0.60 \$330.00/hr | \$198.00 |
| 11/6/2024 | RPA | Review/resend tax package with updated 505(b) letter per M Warner request. | | 0.50 \$330.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| 11/7/2024 | WAP | Research/respond to email questions concerning fixed assets. | | 0.40 \$300.00/hr | \$120.00 |
| | WAP | Identify/send Data Page from MLCJR 1065 for 2020 and 2021 showing ownership of related entities. |) | 0.50 \$300.00/hr | \$150.00 |
| | WAP | Search X-Drive for tax returns for Energy XXI Services LLC at request of Trustee counsel, D. Stewart. | | 1.10 \$300.00/hr | \$330.00 |
| 11/8/2024 | NH | Email correspondence re: 2023 Form 1065 receipt and filing instructions. | | 0.10 \$170.00/hr | \$17.00 |
| | RPA | Communication via email with Mike Warner regarding holding off tax filings. Relay directive to Natalie Hinson. | | 0.50 \$330.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| 11/11/2024 | RPA | Email exchange with Mike Warner and Brent Barriere regarding legal review of filing. Fulfill request to forward return to Barriere. | | 0.30 \$330.00/hr | \$99.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 4.90 | \$1,513.50] |
| | TPSW | Fee Application | | | |
| 11/8/2024 11/12/2024 | | Received check for TPSWest invoice; update receivables/deposit. Prepare summary time-task schedule to accompany fee application filing (at counsel's request). | | 0.30 0.50 \$300.00/hr | NO CHARGE \$150.00 |
| | JLC | Prepare / format Śeptember billing | | 0.60 \$300.00/hr | \$180.00 |
| 11/13/2024 11/14/2024 11/26/2024 | NH | Review TPSWest invoice for time incurred in October 2024. Update fee app tracker re: invoice submission/20% fee holdback. Review of fee application prepared by Trustee's counsel re: 20% holdback fees through 09/30/2024. | | 0.10 0.20 0.50 \$330.00/hr | NO CHARGE NO CHARGE \$165.00 |

| MLCJR LLC E | 3k # 23-90324-CML-7 | (Cox Oil) |
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| | | | Hrs/Rate | _ | Amount |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 2.20 | _ | \$495.00] |
| | For professional services rendered | - | 7.10 | _ | \$2,008.50 |
| | Additional Charges : | | | | |
| | Copy Expense | | | | |
| 11/1/2024 | NH Monthly Copy Count: October 2024 | | | | \$17.80 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | | | [| \$17.80] |
| | Total costs | | | | \$17.80 |
| | Total amount of this bill | | | | \$2,026.30 |
| | Balance due | | | _ | \$2,026.30 |
| Nama | User Summary | louro | Data | | Amount |
| Name James L. Clarl Natalie S. Hins Natalie S. Hins Rhonda B. Fro Richard P. An William A. Pot | ke son son onk derson | 1.10 0.10 0.60 0.50 2.80 2.00 | Rate \$300.00 \$170.00 \$0.00 \$275.00 \$330.00 \$300.00 | | \$330.00 \$17.00 \$0.00 \$137.50 \$924.00 \$600.00 |

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

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|---------------------|---------------------------|
| In re: | Chapter 7 |
| MLCJR LLC, et al.,1 |) Case No. 23-90324 (CML) |
| Debtors |) Jointly Administered |
| |) |
| |) |

TENTH MONTHLY STATEMENT OF SERVICES RENDERED AND EXPENSES INCURRED FOR THE PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2024 BY TPS-WEST, LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE TRUSTEE

TPS-West, LLC ("<u>TPS</u>"), accountants for Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as chapter 7 trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>") for the above-captioned administratively consolidated estates (collectively, the "<u>Estates</u>"), hereby submits this Tenth Monthly Fee Statement for Services Rendered and Expenses Incurred (the "<u>Monthly Fee Statement</u>") for the period ending December 31, 2024 (the "<u>Statement Period</u>"), in accordance with the Court's *Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals* [Docket # 1831] establishing interim compensation procedures (the "<u>Interim Compensation Order</u>"). In support of the Monthly Fee Statement, TPS respectfully represents as follows:

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1. TPS respectfully submits this Monthly Fee Statement seeking compensation for reasonable, actual and necessary services and expenses rendered by TPS on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period:

| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Name of Applicant: | TPS-West, LLC | | | | |
| | Chapter 7 Trustee's | | | | |
| Applicant's Role in Case: | Accountant | | | | |
| Date of Retention: | March 5, 2024 | | | | |
| | Dec 1, 2024 through Dec 31, | | | | |
| Period Covered by this Statement: | 2024 | | | | |
| Number Monthly Fee Statements: | Tenth | | | | |
| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY OF FEES AND EXPENSES | | | | | |
| Total Statement Period Fees | \$787.50 | | | | |
| Total Interim Fees (80%) Requested | \$630.00 | | | | |
| Total Expenses Requested | \$0.00 | | | | |
| Total Interim Remuneration Requested (exclusive of holdback): \$630.00 | | | | | |

In accordance with the Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals [Docket no. 1831], each party receiving notice of the monthly fee statement will have until 5:00 p.m. (Prevailing Central Time), 10 days after the filing of the monthly fee statement to object to the requested fees and expenses. Upon the expiration of such 10-day period, the Trustee is authorized to pay the professional the amount of 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses requested in the applicable monthly fee statement.

2. The following chart presents certain information regarding the TPS professionals whose work on these chapter 7 cases compensation is sought in this Fee Statement:

| User Summary | | | | | |
|---------------------|-------|----------|----------|--|--|
| Name | Hours | Rate | Amount | | |
| James L. Clarke | 0.70 | \$300.00 | \$210.00 | | |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 0.50 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | | |
| Rhonda B. Fronk | 1.50 | \$275.00 | \$412.50 | | |
| Richard P. Anderson | 0.50 | \$330.00 | \$165.00 | | |

3. TPS' invoice covering the Statement Period and providing a detailed statement of both (a) hours spent rendering accounting services to the Trustee and (b) disbursements made or

incurred by TPS in connection with services performed on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period is attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"**.

- 4. Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, TPS seeks payment of \$630.00 from the Trustee for the Statement Period, representing (a) 80% of TPS's total fees for services rendered and (b) 100% of the total expenses incurred during the Statement Period.
- 5. Although every effort has been made to include all fees and expenses incurred during the Statement Period, some fees and expenses might not be included in this Monthly Fee Statement due to delays caused by accounting and processing during the Statement Period. TPS reserves the right to seek allowance of such fees and expenses not included herein.

Dated: March 25, 2025 Respectfully Submitted,

STEWART ROBBINS BROWN & ALTAZAN, LLC

By: /s/ Paul Douglas Stewart, Jr.

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MLCJR LLC, et al. EXHIBIT A

DETAILED TIME AND EXPENSE ENTRIES Time Period – Dec 1, 2024 – Dec 31, 2024

TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to: MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil) c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7 Bankruptcy Trustee 700 Louisiana Street Suite 4500 Houston, TX 77002

January 10, 2025

Invoice #4013

Rhonda B. Fronk

Richard P. Anderson

| | Professional Services | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| | | - | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
| | Federal Income Taxes | | | |
| 12/16/2024 | RPA Correspondence with Whitley Penn regarding Cox | Operating data for tax filing. | 0.50 \$330.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 0.50 | \$165.00] |
| | General Accounting Consulting Services | | | |
| 12/16/2024 | RBF Compile a file containing the 2023 financial statement statement, and statement of cash flows) for Cox Operat the request of Whitney Bolfing, CPA of WhitleyPer 2023 tax filings of Cox Operating, LLC. | perating, LLC (non-filing entity) | 1.50 \$275.00/hr | \$412.50 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.50 | \$412.50] |
| | FPSW Fee Application | | | |
| 12/2/2024 12/13/2024 | | ement as filed; update fee app | 0.30 0.20 | NO CHARGE NO CHARGE |
| 12/16/2024 | | y fee application filing (at | 0.30 \$300.00/hr | \$90.00 |
| | ILC Prepare / format September billing | | 0.40 \$300.00/hr | \$120.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.20 | \$210.00] |
| | For professional services rendered | | 3.20 | \$787.50 |
| | User Summa | ary | | |
| Name | | Hours | | Amount |
| James L. Clark Natalie S. Hins | | 0.7 ¹ 0.5 | | \$210.00 \$0.00 |
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\$165.00

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| In re: | Chapter 7 |
| MLCJR LLC, et al., ¹ |) Case No. 23-90324 (CML) |
| Debtors |) Jointly Administered |
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ELEVENTH MONTHLY STATEMENT OF SERVICES RENDERED AND EXPENSES INCURRED FOR THE PERIOD ENDING JANUARY 31, 2025 BY TPS-WEST, LLC AS ACCOUNTANTS TO THE TRUSTEE

TPS-West, LLC ("TPS"), accountants for Michael D. Warner, solely in his capacity as chapter 7 trustee (the "Trustee") for the above-captioned administratively consolidated estates (collectively, the "Estates"), hereby submits this Tenth Monthly Fee Statement for Services Rendered and Expenses Incurred (the "Monthly Fee Statement") for the period ending January 31, 2025 (the "Statement Period"), in accordance with the Court's Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals [Docket # 1831] establishing interim compensation procedures (the "Interim Compensation Order"). In support of the Monthly Fee Statement, TPS respectfully represents as follows:

¹ The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: MLCJR LLC (0875); Cox Oil Offshore, L.L.C. (7047); Cox Operating, L.L.C. (0939); Energy XXI GOM, LLC (0027); Energy XXI Gulf Coast, LLC (8595); EPL Oil & Gas, LLC (9562); and M21K, LLC (3978). The Debtors' address is 4514 Cole Ave, Suite 1175, Dallas, Texas 75205.

1. TPS respectfully submits this Monthly Fee Statement seeking compensation for reasonable, actual and necessary services and expenses rendered by TPS on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period:

| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Name of Applicant: | TPS-West, LLC | | | |
| | Chapter 7 Trustee's | | | |
| Applicant's Role in Case: | Accountant | | | |
| Date of Retention: | March 5, 2024 | | | |
| | Jan 1, 2025 through Jan 31, | | | |
| Period Covered by this Statement: | 2025 | | | |
| Number Monthly Fee Statements: | Eleventh | | | |
| STATEMENT PERIOD SUMMARY OF FEES AND EXPENSES | | | | |
| Total Statement Period Fees | \$2,917.00 | | | |
| Total Interim Fees (80%) Requested | \$2,333.60 | | | |
| Total Expenses Requested | \$79.94 | | | |
| Total Interim Remuneration Requested (exclusive of holdback): | \$2,413.54 | | | |

In accordance with the Order Granting Trustee's Motion for Order Establishing Interim Compensation Procedures for the Trustee and the Trustee's Professionals [Docket no. 1831], each party receiving notice of the monthly fee statement will have until 5:00 p.m. (Prevailing Central Time), 10 days after the filing of the monthly fee statement to object to the requested fees and expenses. Upon the expiration of such 10-day period, the Trustee is authorized to pay the professional the amount of 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses requested in the applicable monthly fee statement.

2. The following chart presents certain information regarding the TPS professionals whose work on these chapter 7 cases compensation is sought in this Fee Statement:

| Name | | Hours | Rate | Amount |
|---------------------|---|-------|----------|------------|
| James L. Clarke | _ | 0.10 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | | 8.00 | \$170.00 | \$1,360.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | | 0.40 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Richard P. Anderson | | 3.90 | \$330.00 | \$1,287.00 |
| Richard P. Anderson | | 0.20 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |

3. TPS' invoice covering the Statement Period and providing a detailed statement of both (a) hours spent rendering accounting services to the Trustee and (b) disbursements made or

incurred by TPS in connection with services performed on behalf of the Trustee during the Statement Period is attached hereto as **Exhibit "A"**.

- 4. Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, TPS seeks payment of \$2,413.54 from the Trustee for the Statement Period, representing (a) 80% of TPS's total fees for services rendered and (b) 100% of the total expenses incurred during the Statement Period.
- 5. Although every effort has been made to include all fees and expenses incurred during the Statement Period, some fees and expenses might not be included in this Monthly Fee Statement due to delays caused by accounting and processing during the Statement Period. TPS reserves the right to seek allowance of such fees and expenses not included herein.

Dated: June 11, 2025 Respectfully Submitted,

STEWART ROBBINS BROWN & ALTAZAN, LLC

By: /s/Paul Douglas Stewart, Jr.

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Counsel for Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7 Trustee

MLCJR LLC, et al. EXHIBIT A

DETAILED TIME AND EXPENSE ENTRIES Time Period – Jam 1, 2025 – Jan 31, 2025

TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to:
MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

February 12, 2025

Invoice #4032

Professional Services

| | | | | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|-----------|----------|---|---|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| | Federa | al Income Taxes | | | |
| 1/6/2025 | RPA | Email exchange with Michael Warner regarding status of 2023 filing. | | 0.20 \$330.00/hr | \$66.00 |
| 1/15/2025 | NH NH | Save original signature pages received from the Trustee. Email correspondence with R. Anderson re: trustee approval to file 2023 Form 1065 along with the 505(b) request. | | 0.10 0.10 \$170.00/hr | NO CHARGE \$17.00 |
| | NH | Prepare 2023 Form 1065 K-1 partner copies (78 pages). | | 0.30 \$170.00/hr | \$51.00 |
| | NH | Prepare 2023 Form 1065 tax packet for mailing to the IRS (131 pages). | | 0.40 \$170.00/hr | \$68.00 |
| | NH | Prepare 2023 Form 1065 505(b) packet for mailing to IRS Centralized Insolvency Unit (265 pages). | | 0.60 \$170.00/hr | \$102.00 |
| | RPA | Email to Mike Warner regarding 1099 filing for 2024. | | 0.30 \$330.00/hr | \$99.00 |
| | RPA | Email exchange with M. Warner regarding filing status and Brent Barriere response to the tax review. | | 0.50 \$330.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| 1/17/2025 | NH | Email correspondence re: 2023 Form 1065 K-1 delivery method confirmation to partners; update case file on same. | | 0.20 \$170.00/hr | \$34.00 |
| | NH | Prepare packets re: 2023 Form 1065 to IRS filed original and 2023 Form 1065 505(b) package to IRS Centralized Insolvency; go the post office on same. | | 0.50 \$170.00/hr | \$85.00 |
| 1/20/2025 | RPA | Communication with Mike Warner and his office regarding payments disbursed that should go on form 1099. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| 1/21/2025 | RPA | Email exchange confirming filing of 2023 tax forms. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 4.80 | \$1,215.00] |
| | Payrol | I , Wage Reporting or Contract Labor Reporting | | | |
| 1/13/2025 | NH | Meet with R. Anderson re: status of 2024 1099 preparation/confirmation that all records have been received from the successor trustee. | | 0.20 \$170.00/hr | \$34.00 |
| 1/14/2025 | NH | Cox Operating LLC: Update 1099 software re: 2024 data for contract employees received to date. | | 1.00 \$170.00/hr | \$170.00 |
| 1/17/2025 | RPA | Review of tax package before mailing. Email with Whitley Penn regarding K1s. | | 0.80 \$330.00/hr | \$264.00 |
| 1/22/2025 | NH | Examine Form 2 reports from both Trustees in 2024; confirm items to be included for 1099 processing; request W-9's for same. | | 2.20 \$170.00/hr | \$374.00 |
| 1/27/2025 | NH | Update 2024 1099 worksheet with items received from the successor Trustee; reconcile same with existing data. | | 1.80 \$170.00/hr | \$306.00 |
| 1/28/2025 | NH | Complete data set re: 2024 1099 preparation. | | 0.60 \$170.00/hr | \$102.00 |

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|-----------------------------------|----------|---|--------|------------------------------------|--|
| 1/29/2025 | RPA | Review 2024 1099 forms. | | 0.50 | \$165.0 |
| 1/30/2025 | NH | E-file 2024 1099s. | | \$330.00/hr 0.10 \$170.00/hr | \$17.0 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 7.20 | \$1,432.0 |
| | TPSW | / Fee Application | | | |
| 1/6/2025 | JLC | Review CNO provided by Trustee's counsel prior to filing. | | 0.20 \$300.00/hr | \$60.0 |
| 1/7/2025 1/9/2025 1/15/2025 | NH | Email regarding fee application holdback approval CNO filing. Save Certification of No Objection re: TPS-West First Interim Fee Application. Review/save order approving First Interim fee application for TPS-West. Circulate December 2024 Invoice with supplemental schedule to D Stewart and K | | 0.20 0.10 0.20 0.10 | NO CHARG NO CHARG NO CHARG NO CHARG |
| | JLC | Heard for changes/approval. Prepare / format December 2024 billing | | 0.40 \$300.00/hr | \$120.0 |
| | JLC | Prepare summary time-task schedule to accompany fee application filing (at counsel's request). | | 0.30 \$300.00/hr | \$90.0 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 1.50 | \$270.0 |
| | For pr | rofessional services rendered | _ | 13.50 | \$2,917.0 |
| | Additio | onal Charges : | | | |
| | Сору | Expense | | | |
| 1/2/2025 | NH | Monthly Copy Count - December 2024 | | | \$3.2 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | | | [\$3.2 |
| | Other | Expenses | | | |
| 1/30/2025 | NH | 2024 Filing/mailing fee re: 9 Form 1099s. | | | \$41.6 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | | | [\$41.6 |
| | Posta | ge | | | |
| 1/17/2025 | NH NH | Mail 2023 Form 1065 to IRS file copy to Ogden via Priority mail. Mail 2023 Form 1065 505(b) Request to IRS Centralized Insolvency Unit via Priori | ty mai | l. | \$16.3 \$18.7 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | | | [\$35.0 |
| | Total | costs | | | \$79.9 |
| | Total a | amount of this bill | | - | \$2,996.9 |
| | Balan | ce due | | - | \$2,996.9 |
| | | User Summary | | = | |
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MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)

| Name | Hours | Rate | Amount |
|---------------------|-------|----------|------------|
| James L. Clarke | 0.10 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 8.00 | \$170.00 | \$1,360.00 |
| Natalie S. Hinson | 0.40 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Richard P. Anderson | 3.90 | \$330.00 | \$1,287.00 |
| Richard P. Anderson | 0.20 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |

TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to:
MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

March 12, 2025

Invoice #4059

Professional Services

| | | _ | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|---|----------------------------------|
| | Federal Income Taxes | | | |
| 2/4/2025 2/19/2025 | WAP Review email from Doug Stewart. Research issue/Determine possible response. Forward to R. Anderson for follow-up. | | 0.50 \$330.00/hr 0.40 \$300.00/hr 0.20 \$330.00/hr | \$165.00 \$120.00 \$66.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.10 | \$351.00] |
| | General Accounting Consulting Services | | | |
| 2/26/2025 2/27/2025 | computer. | | 1.50 \$300.00/hr 0.30 \$300.00/hr | \$450.00 \$90.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.80 | \$540.00] |
| | Payroll , Wage Reporting or Contract Labor Reporting | | | |
| 2/13/2025 2/17/2025 2/24/2025 | with Paylocity regarding how to correct. RPA Communication with Mayra Sifuentes (former debtor employee) and Paylocity regarding 1095 correction. | | 1.20 \$330.00/hr 0.50 \$330.00/hr 0.40 \$330.00/hr | \$396.00 \$165.00 \$132.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 2.10 | \$693.00] |
| | TPSW Fee Application | | | |
| 2/4/2025 | same. | | 0.20 | NO CHARGE |
| 2/12/2025 | JLC Prepare summary time-task schedule to accompany fee application filing (at counsel's request). JLC Prepare / format January 2025 billing | | 0.40 \$300.00/hr 0.40 \$300.00/hr | \$120.00 \$120.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.00 | \$240.00] |

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| For professional services rendered | Hours Amount 6.00 \$1,824.00 |
| Additional Charges : | |
| Copy Expense | |
| 2/3/2025 NH Monthly copy count: January 2025 | \$96.40 |
| SUBTOTAL: | [\$96.40] |
| Total costs | \$96.40 |
| Total amount of this bill | \$1,920.40 |
| User Summary | |
| Name James L. Clarke | Hours Rate Amount 0.80 \$300.00 \$240.00 |

Natalie S. Hinson

Richard P. Anderson William A. Potter \$0.00

\$924.00

\$660.00

0.20

2.80 2.20 \$0.00

\$330.00

\$300.00

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MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

April 1, 2025

Invoice #4095

Professional Services

| | | | _ | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|-----------|--------|--|---|---------------------|-------------|
| | Federa | al Income Taxes | | | |
| 3/5/2025 | RBF | Review court documents relevant to tax issues to determine proper tax treatment | | 3.30 | \$907.50 |
| 3/6/2025 | RBF | for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. Begin preparation of working trial balance for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | \$275.00/hr 3.70 | \$1,017.50 |
| 3/7/2025 | NH | Review order approving sale to W&T Offshore. | | \$275.00/hr 0.10 | \$17.00 |
| | RBF | Continue preparation of working trial balance for 2024 Form 1065 income tax | | \$170.00/hr 6.20 | \$1,705.00 |
| 3/13/2025 | NH | return. Review IRS letter re: 2023 1065. | | \$275.00/hr 0.20 | \$34.00 |
| | NH | Prepare IRS Form 7004 (2024 Extension - 1065). | | \$170.00/hr 0.30 | \$51.00 |
| | RBF | Continue preparation of working trial balance for 2024 Form 1065 income tax | | \$170.00/hr 2.50 | \$687.50 |
| 3/14/2025 | | return. Begin analysis / preparation of tax data for use in electronic tax program for 2024 | | \$275.00/hr 1.00 | \$275.00 |
| 0/14/2020 | RPA | Form 1065 income tax return. Receipt of IRS questionnaire regarding 2023 tax filing. Analyze and forward to | | \$275.00/hr 0.30 | \$99.00 |
| 3/19/2025 | | trustee requesting he confirm my idea of us filling it out and submitting. Prepare a response letter on behalf of Trustee Michael D. Warner, with | | \$330.00/hr 3.30 | \$907.50 |
| 3/19/2023 | KDF | attachments, regarding IRS Letter #LTR6042C dated March 10, 2025, requesting | | \$275.00/hr | φ907.50 |
| 3/24/2025 | RBF | information about the debtor's 2023 Form 1065 federal income tax return. Verify that 2023 Forms 1099 were filed under Cox Operating, LLC federal tax ID | | 0.40 | \$110.00 |
| | RPA | number, as related to response on IRS letter of inquiry for 2023 tax filings. Review response letter to IRS and send to Mike Warner. Update regarding his | | \$275.00/hr 1.20 | \$396.00 |
| | | reservations to include his social security number (IRS info request). Convert to Word document per Warner request. | | \$330.00/hr | |
| 3/27/2025 | | Continue review court documents relevant to tax issues to determine proper tax treatment for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 4.30 \$275.00/hr | \$1,182.50 |
| | RBF | Continue analysis / preparation of tax data for use in tax program for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 2.00 \$275.00/hr | \$550.00 |
| | RBF | Update working trial balance with additional data identified in court filings for preparation of 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 2.30 \$275.00/hr | \$632.50 |
| 3/28/2025 | RBF | Continue analysis / preparation of tax data for use in electronic tax program for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 1.80 \$275.00/hr | \$495.00 |
| | RBF | Continue updating working trial balance for preparation of 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 1.60 \$275.00/hr | \$440.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 34.50 | \$9,507.00] |

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|--------------------------------|---------|--|---------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Prefer | ence/Fraudulent Conveyance Review | | | |
| 3/10/2025 | WAP | Attempt to access OGSys. Contact Julie Meaders to troubleshoot ongoing access issue. (No Charge per JLC) | | 0.70 | NO CHARGE |
| 3/11/2025 | WAP | Second unsuccessful attempt to access OGSys. Lengthy exchange of emails with Julie Meaders and Lisa Gillispie at Quorum. Perform various troubleshooting measures to resolve, but access still denied. (NO Charge per JLC) | 1 | 1.50 | NO CHARGE |
| 3/12/2025 | WAP | Request clarification of items needed from Doug Stewart to proceed with preference process. | | 0.50 \$300.00/hr | \$150.00 |
| | WAP | Third and successful attempt to access OGSys. Working with Lisa Gillispie at Quorum. Process required reset of user and password with aid of Quorum staff. | | 0.80 \$300.00/hr | \$240.00 |
| | WAP | Develop listing of payments to vendors for 90-day look-back period from cash disbursements journal | | 1.20 \$300.00/hr | \$360.00 |
| | WAP | Extract and compile excel data as a copy from read-only data | | 1.30 \$300.00/hr | \$390.00 |
| | WAP | Generate listing of vendors and contacts vendor files | | 1.80 \$300.00/hr | \$540.00 |
| | WAP | Data check for successful migration of Vendor Names, Account Numbers, addresses, phone numbers and contact personnel | | 0.70 \$300.00/hr | \$210.00 |
| | WAP | Begin working with OGSys to develop preference data as requested by Counsel. | | 0.80 \$300.00/hr | \$240.00 |
| 3/13/2025 | WAP | Work with OGSys to generate payment transactions locating 924 payments encompassing \$101,863,119.60 in transactions. | | 3.40 \$300.00/hr | \$1,020.00 |
| | WAP | Convert data to excel format, identify Approx 450 void transactions, and verify completeness | | 0.60 \$300.00/hr | \$180.00 |
| 3/18/2025 | WAP | Attempt to transfer client data from OGSys to local file. Request aid from OGSys support. (No Charge per JLC) | | 1.70 | NO CHARGE |
| 3/20/2025 | WAP | Access OGSys to pull down 350 targets for preference review (\$104,950,155 total). Set up reports on OGSys. Product resides on external server. Copy and paste data from read only files. | | 2.80 \$300.00/hr | \$840.00 |
| 3/24/2025 | WAP | Continue locating transaction targets for Preference Review from OGSys. | | 3.40 \$300.00/hr | \$1,020.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 21.20 | \$5,190.00] |
| | TPSW | Fee Application | | | |
| 3/12/2025 | JLC | Prepare February Invoice. | | 0.30 | \$90.00 |
| | JLC | Prepare supplemental invoice schedule (as requested by counsel). | | \$300.00/hr 0.30 \$300.00/hr | \$90.00 |
| 3/25/2025 | NH | Review/save 10th Monthly Fee Statement for TPS-West as filed. | | 0.20 | NO CHARGE |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 0.80 | \$180.00] |
| | For pro | ofessional services rendered | _ | 56.50 | \$14,877.00 |
| | Baland | re due | | - | \$14,877.00 |
| | Dalaire | oc duc | | = | Ψ1 4 ,077.00 |
| ame | | User Summary | lours | Rate | Amount |
| mes L. Clark | | | 0.60 | \$300.00 | \$180.00 |
| italie S. Hins | | | 0.60 | \$170.00 | \$102.00 |
| italie S. Hins ionda B. Fro | | | 0.20 32.40 | \$0.00 \$275.00 | \$0.00 \$8,910.00 |
| chard P. And | | | 1.50 | \$330.00 | \$495.00 |
| lliam A. Pott | ter | | 17.30 | \$300.00 | \$5,190.00 |

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| Name | Hours | Rate | Amount |
|-------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| William A. Potter | 3.90 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |

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May 1, 2025

Invoice #4096

Professional Services

| | | | _ | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|-----------|--------|---|---|---------------------|--------------|
| | Federa | al Income Taxes | | | |
| 4/8/2025 | RBF | Continue review of court documents relevant to tax issues to determine proper tax treatment for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 3.10 \$275.00/hr | \$852.50 |
| 4/9/2025 | RBF | Continue with analysis and preparation of tax data for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 3.50 \$275.00/hr | \$962.50 |
| | RBF | Continue review of court documents to identify transactional data for proper tax treatment for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 3.80 \$275.00/hr | \$1,045.00 |
| 4/10/2025 | RBF | Continue with analysis /preparation of tax data for use in tax program for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 8.00 \$275.00/hr | \$2,200.00 |
| 4/11/2025 | | Continue analysis / preparation of tax data for use in 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 7.20 \$275.00/hr | \$1,980.00 |
| 4/14/2025 | | Analysis and preparation of tax data for use in electronic tax program for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 5.30 \$275.00/hr | \$1,457.50 |
| 4/15/2025 | | Analysis and preparation of tax data for use in tax program for 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 1.50 \$275.00/hr | \$412.50 |
| 4/16/2025 | | Continue with transactional analysis and preparation of tax data for use in 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 6.00 \$275.00/hr | \$1,650.00 |
| 4/17/2025 | | Continue analysis from court filings related to the preparation of tax data for use in 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 2.70 \$275.00/hr | \$742.50 |
| 4/24/2025 | | Continue transaction analysis and preparation of tax data for use in 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 5.20 \$275.00/hr | \$1,430.00 |
| 4/25/2025 | | Finalize working trial balance for preparation of 2024 Form 1065 income tax return | | 4.60 \$275.00/hr | \$1,265.00 |
| 4/29/2025 | | Begin preparation of tax workpapers to support 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 2.00 \$275.00/hr | \$550.00 |
| 4/30/2025 | | Prepare IRS tax return filing instruction letter for 2024 Form 1065 income tax package. | | 0.20 \$275.00/hr | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | Prepare federal 505(b) letter for 2024 Form 1065 income tax package. | | 0.20 \$275.00/hr | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | Prepare Bankruptcy Tax Statement to accompany 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 0.20 \$275.00/hr | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | Prepare draft of 2024 Form 1065 income tax return for review. | | 0.60 \$275.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| | RBF | Continue preparation of tax workpapers to support 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 1.20 \$275.00/hr | \$330.00 |
| | RBF | Continue analysis /preparation of tax data for use in 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. | | 1.20 \$275.00/hr | \$330.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 56.50 | \$15,537.50] |

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| | Gener | al Accounting Consulting Services | | |
| 4/22/2025 | WAP | Troubleshoot how to correct conversion problems in downloading data from OGSys. (Request Office Enterprise capabilities to process data) (No Charge per JLC) | 2.50 | NO CHARGE |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [2.50 | \$0.00] |
| | Prefer | ence/Fraudulent Conveyance Review | | |
| 4/1/2025 | WAP | Transfer data from OGSys to local drive. Convert check transactions from | 3.70 | \$1,110.00 |
| 4/2/2025 | WAP | banking information into Excel format. Review check register received from Doug Stewart. | \$300.00/hr 1.30 | \$390.00 |
| | WAP | Extract and convert transactions for analysis. | \$300.00/hr 1.20 | \$360.00 |
| | WAP | Continue OgSys search for additional transactions from registry. | \$300.00/hr 1.80 | \$540.00 |
| 4/3/2025 | WAP | Continue working to obtain data from OGSys for Accounts Payable histories for | \$300.00/hr 3.20 | \$960.00 |
| 4/7/2025 | WAP | 2022 and 2023. Talk with accountant for debtor to determine how to get information from excel | \$300.00/hr 0.60 | \$180.00 |
| | WAP | files off OGSys. Continue pulling A/P Histories from 2022 and 2023 for preference analysis. | \$300.00/hr 3.40 | \$1,020.00 |
| 4/10/2025 | WAP | Generate Payable Vendor contact report into pdf format from OGSys. | \$300.00/hr 5.30 | \$1,590.00 |
| | WAP | Verify data integrity through comparison of converted data to original OGSys | \$300.00/hr 1.90 | \$570.00 |
| | WAP | format. (950 of 3082 vendors). Convert into Excel and merge pages that were spliced in process. | \$300.00/hr 0.80 | \$240.00 |
| 4/11/2025 | WAP | Verify data integrity through comparison of converted data to original OGSys | \$300.00/hr 6.60 | \$1,980.00 |
| 4/14/2025 | WAP | format. (Remaining 2132 of 3082 vendors). Request access to A/P history report. | \$300.00/hr 0.60 | \$180.00 |
| | WAP | Package and send to attorneys for review and request additional targets. | \$300.00/hr 0.60 | \$180.00 |
| | WAP | Generate report in various forms to determine which was best suited for | \$300.00/hr 1.10 | \$330.00 |
| | WAP | preference analysis. Generate report in txt format. Attempt conversion to Excel. Convert report to | \$300.00/hr 2.30 | \$690.00 |
| | WAP | Word document. Make corrections to document in order to make legible. Produce A/P history for A-Port LLC. | \$300.00/hr 3.40 | \$1,020.00 |
| 4/15/2025 | WAP | Convert report to Word document | \$300.00/hr 0.70 | \$210.00 |
| | WAP | Generate A/P history reports in txt format | \$300.00/hr 1.20 | \$360.00 |
| | WAP | Make corrections to document in order to make legible | \$300.00/hr 1.80 | \$540.00 |
| | WAP | Produce A/P history for additional targets. | \$300.00/hr 4.30 | \$1,290.00 |
| 4/16/2025 | WAP | Convert report to Word document. | \$300.00/hr 0.20 | \$60.00 |
| | WAP | Make corrections to document in order to make legible. | \$300.00/hr 0.30 | \$90.00 |
| | WAP | Finalize A/P history reports in txt format. | \$300.00/hr 0.50 | \$150.00 |
| | WAP | Produce A/P history for additional targets. | \$300.00/hr 0.90 | \$270.00 |
| 4/23/2025 | WAP | Generate additional payable data for A-Port LLC. | \$300.00/hr 3.80 | \$1,140.00 |
| 4/28/2025 | WAP | Prepare new check disbursements report for 2023 year through date of filing. Highlight transactions for A-Port to match items listed on attorney email. Identify transactions outside of 90-day window on report. | \$300.00/hr 2.60 \$300.00/hr | \$780.00 |

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| 4/29/2025 | WAP | Prepare new check disbursements report for 2022 year. Highlight transactions for A-Port to present to attorney. 34 transactions located. Prepare new check disbursements report for 2021 year. Highlight transactions for | | 4.60 \$300.00/hr 3.40 | \$1,380.00 \$1,020.00 |
| 4/30/2025 | WAP | A-Port to present to attorney. 28 transactions located. Phone conversation with attorney to determine if new information will present data as needed for preference work. | | \$300.00/hr 0.70 \$300.00/hr | \$210.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 62.80 | \$18,840.00] |
| | State ⁻ | Tax Reporting | | | |
| 4/30/2025 | RBF | Prepare Texas State Comptroller tax report filing instruction letter for Report Year | r | 0.20 | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | 2025 Texas franchise tax report package. Prepare draft of Report Year 2025 Texas franchise tax report for review. | | \$275.00/hr 0.20 | \$55.00 |
| | RBF | Prepare tax workpapers to support Report Year 2025 Texas franchise tax report. | | \$275.00/hr 0.40 | \$110.00 |
| | RBF | Analysis and preparation of tax data for use in Report Year 2025 Texas franchise tax report. | : | \$275.00/hr 0.60 \$275.00/hr | \$165.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 1.40 | \$385.00] |
| | TPSW | Fee Application | | | |
| 4/1/2025 | JLC | Prepare summary time-task schedule to accompany fee application filing (at | | 0.90 | \$270.00 |
| | JLC | counsel's request). Prepare / format March 2025 billing | | \$300.00/hr 1.10 \$300.00/hr | \$330.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | [| 2.00 | \$600.00] |
| | For pro | ofessional services rendered | | 125.20 | \$35,362.50 |
| | Additio | onal Charges : | | | |
| | Сору I | Expense | | | |
| 4/1/2025 | NH | Monthly Copy Count: March 2025 | | | \$37.00 |
| | SUBT | OTAL: | | [| \$37.00] |
| | Total o | costs | | | \$37.00 |
| | Total a | amount of this bill | | _ | \$35,399.50 |
| | Baland | ce due | | _ | \$35,399.50 |
| ame | | User Summary | Hours | s Rate | Amount |
| ames L. Clark honda B. Fro /illiam A. Pott /illiam A. Pott | nk ter | | 2.00 57.90 62.80 2.50 | \$300.00 \$275.00 \$300.00 | \$600.00 \$15,922.50 \$18,840.00 \$0.00 |

TPS-West, LLC Certified Public Accountants 10260 Westheimer Rd., Suite 210 Houston, TX 77042

Invoice submitted to:
MLCJR LLC Bk # 23-90324-CML-7 (Cox Oil)
c/o Michael D. Warner, Chapter 7
Bankruptcy Trustee
700 Louisiana Street
Suite 4500
Houston, TX 77002

June 1, 2025

Invoice #4105

Professional Services

| | | | | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
|----------------------|---------|---|---|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| | Federa | al Income Taxes | | | |
| 5/1/2025 5/6/2025 | | Finish preparation of tax workpapers to support 2024 Form 1065 income tax return. Email exchange with Mike Warner regarding due dates and return status. | | 2.80 \$275.00/hr 0.30 | \$770.00 \$99.00 |
| 5/19/2025 | NH | Review IRS notice re: 2023 Form 1065. | | \$330.00/hr 0.20 \$170.00/hr | \$34.00 |
| | SUBT | DTAL: | [| 3.30 | \$903.00] |
| | Prefere | ence/Fraudulent Conveyance Review | | | |
| 5/7/2025 | WAP | Prepare updated A/P invoice listing for A-Port LLC. | | 0.80 \$300.00/hr | \$240.00 |
| | WAP | Prepare Cash disbursements reports for 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021. | | 1.80 \$300.00/hr | \$540.00 |
| 5/8/2025 | WAP | Determine that unpaid invoices at end of period are included. | | 1.80 \$300.00/hr | \$540.00 |
| | WAP | Review data to determine that transactions tie back to cash disbursements journal from 90-day look-back. | | 2.20 \$300.00/hr | \$660.00 |
| | WAP | Prepare A/P Histories for 18 vendor targets. | | 2.80 \$300.00/hr | \$840.00 |
| 5/9/2025 | WAP | Upload data files to drop box. | | 0.50 \$300.00/hr | \$150.00 |
| | WAP | Determine that unpaid invoices at end of period are included. | | 1.60 \$300.00/hr | \$480.00 |
| | WAP | Review data to determine that transactions tie back to cash disbursements journal from 90-day look-back. | | 2.40 \$300.00/hr | \$720.00 |
| | WAP | Prepare A/P Histories for an additional 20 vendor targets. | | 3.20 \$300.00/hr | \$960.00 |
| 5/23/2025 | WAP | Prepare A/P Reports for 2023 for 55 vendors with tolling agreements at attorney request from OGSys data. | | 7.20 \$300.00/hr | \$2,160.00 |
| | SUBTO | DTAL: | [| 24.30 | \$7,290.00] |
| | State 1 | ax Reporting | | | |
| 5/12/2025 | NH | Prepare/E-File extension re: 2025 Texas Franchise tax return. | | 0.30 \$170.00/hr | \$51.00 |

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\$300.00

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William A. Potter

| | | _ | Hrs/Rate | Amount |
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| | SUBTOTAL: | _ | 0.30 | <u>\$51.00</u> |
| | TPSW Fee Application | | | |
| 5/30/2025 | | | 1.40 \$300.00/hr | \$420.00 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | [| 1.40 | \$420.00] |
| | For professional services rendered | | 29.30 | \$8,664.00 |
| | Additional Charges : | | | |
| | Copy Expense | | | |
| 5/1/2025 | NH Monthly copy count: April 2025 | | | \$37.60 |
| | SUBTOTAL: | | | [\$37.60] |
| | Total costs | | | \$37.60 |
| | Total amount of this bill | | _ | \$8,701.60 |
| | Balance due | | _ | \$8,701.60 |
| Name | User Summary Hou | ırs | Rate | Amount |
| James L. Clarl | e 1. | 40 | \$300.00 | \$420.00 |
| Natalie S. Hins Rhonda B. Fro | | | \$170.00 \$275.00 | \$85.00 \$770.00 |
| Richard P. And | | | \$330.00 | \$99.00 |
| William A Pot | | | \$300.00 | \$7,200,00 |

EXHIBIT B

(Aggregate Expenses)

| Expense | Amount | | | |
|----------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Copies | \$258.00 | | | |
| Postage | \$35.05 | | | |
| PACER | \$72.20 | | | |
| Filing/Mailing | \$41.69 | | | |
| Total | \$406.94 | | | |

EXHIBIT C

(Aggregate Fees by Task)

| | Blended | | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------|---------|-------------|---------|
| Task | Rate | Hours | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Federal Income Taxes | \$280.90 | 120.00 | 46.30% | \$33,707.50 | 46.96% |
| General Accounting Consulting | | | | | |
| Services | \$173.51 | 6.70 | 2.58% | \$1,162.50 | 1.62% |
| Payroll, Wage Reporting or | | | | | |
| Contract Labor Reporting | \$228.49 | 9.30 | 3.59% | \$2,125.00 | 2.96% |
| Preference/Fraudulent | | | | | |
| Conveyance Review | \$289.20 | 108.30 | 41.78% | \$31,320.00 | 43.63% |
| State Tax Reporting | \$260.00 | 2.10 | 0.81% | \$546.00 | 0.76% |
| TPSW Fee Application | \$228.52 | 12.80 | 4.94% | \$2,925.00 | 4.07% |
| Total | \$276.95 | 259.20 | 100.00% | \$71,786.00 | 100.00% |

EXHIBIT D

(Aggregate Valuation of Services Chart)

| Professional | Blended Rate | Hours | Percent | Amount | Percent |
|-------------------|-----------------|--------|---------|-------------|---------|
| James L. Clarke | \$296.77 | 9.30 | 3.59% | \$2,760.00 | 3.84% |
| Natalie S. Hinson | \$130.33 | 12.00 | 4.63% | \$1,564.00 | 2.18% |
| Rhonda B. Fronk | \$275.00 | 99.80 | 38.50% | \$27,445.00 | 38.23% |
| Richard P. | | | | | |
| Anderson | \$322.63 | 22.40 | 8.64% | \$7,227.00 | 10.07% |
| William A. Potter | \$283.41 | 115.70 | 44.64% | \$32,790.00 | 45.68% |
| Total | \$276.95 | 259.20 | 100.00% | \$71,786.00 | 100.00% |

EXHIBIT E

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 Case No.:
 23-90324

 Case Name:
 MLCJR LLC

L.L.C. Cox Oil Offshore

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For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Taxpayer ID #:

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******9687 Checking

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| Trans. Date | Check or Ref. # | Paid To / Received From | Description of Transaction | | Uniform Tran. Code | Deposit \$ | Disbursement \$ | Account Balance |
| 05/16/24 | | Transfer of Estate Funds from Veritex Community Bank | WIRE IN FROM MLCJR LLC | | 1290-000 | 2,079,378.05 | | 2,079,378.05 |
| 05/16/24 | | Metropolitan Bank Wire Fee | Metropolitan Bank Wire Fee | | 2600-000 | | 10.00 | 2,079,368.05 |
| 05/17/24 | | Metropolitan Bank Wire Fee Refund | Metropolitan Bank Wire Fee Refund | | 2600-000 | | -10.00 | 2,079,378.05 |
| 05/31/24 | 101 | Thomas R. Dykes | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 9,262.50 | 2,070,115.55 |
| 05/31/24 | 102 | Benjamin Marchive | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 4,987.50 | 2,065,128.05 |
| 05/31/24 | 103 | Johnny Robinson | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 2,565.00 | 2,062,563.05 |
| 05/31/24 | 104 | Jamie Meylian | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 1,923.75 | 2,060,639.30 |
| 05/31/24 | 105 | Toby Mendoza | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 1,653.00 | 2,058,986.30 |
| 05/31/24 | 106 | Lawrence Boyd | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 2,280.00 | 2,056,706.30 |
| 05/31/24 | 107 | Michael Graham | M&M Contract Labor | | 2990-000 | | 1,995.00 | 2,054,711.30 |
| 05/31/24 | 108 | Randy Williams | 80% Fees - March & April 2024 | | 3991-000 | | 131,957.93 | 1,922,753.37 |
| 05/31/24 | 109 | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 80% fees/100% expenses - March & April 2024 | | | | 200,580.04 | 1,722,173.33 |
| | | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 80% March & April 2024 fee request | | 2990-000 | | | |
| | | | \$19 | 98,962.00 | | | | |
| | | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 100% March & April 2024 expense request | \$1,618.04 | 2990-000 | | | |
| 05/31/24 | 110 | TPS - West, LLC | 80% fees/100% expenses - March & April 2024 | ψ1,010.0 + | | | 18,603.44 | 1,703,569.89 |
| 03/31/24 | 110 | TPS - West, LLC | 80% fees March & April 2024 fee request | | 2990-000 | | 10,000.44 | 1,700,509.09 |
| | | 11 0 VVCSI, 220 | ' ' | 15,340.00 | 2000 000 | | | |
| | | TPS - West, LLC | 100% expenses March & April fee request | | 2990-000 | | | |
| | | West, LEG | | \$3,263.44 | 2000 000 | | | |
| 05/31/24 | 111 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 5.3.24 and 5.10.24 Voided on 05/31/2024 | | 2990-004 | | 2,850.00 | 1,700,719.89 |
| 05/31/24 | 111 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 5.3.24 and 5.10.24 Voided: check issued on 05/31/2024 | | 2990-004 | | -2,850.00 | 1,703,569.89 |
| 05/31/24 | 112 | Connection Business Solutions | Invoice #17005694 Stopped on 06/10/2024 | | 2990-005 | | 3,715.00 | 1,699,854.89 |
| 05/31/24 | 113 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 5.3.24, 5.10.24, 5.17.24, & 5.24.24 | | 2990-001 | | 4,425.00 | 1,695,429.89 |
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L.L.C. Cox Oil Offshore

Taxpayer ID #: **-***0875 For Period Ending:

08/18/2025

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

*****9687 Checking Account #:

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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|----------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Trans. Date | Check or Ref. # | Paid To / Received From | Description of Transaction | Uniform Tran. Code | Deposit \$ | Disbursement \$ | Account Balance |
| 05/31/24 | 114 | Clean Gulf Associates, Inc. | Invoice #s 2421079 & 2431076 | 2990-000 | | 49,408.03 | 1,646,021.86 |
| 05/31/24 | 115 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #9913 | 2990-000 | | 10,171.00 | 1,635,850.86 |
| 05/31/24 | 116 | Mayra Sifuentes | 4.29.24 and 5.1.24 | 2990-000 | | 4,140.00 | 1,631,710.86 |
| 05/31/24 | 117 | Forefront Emergency Management | Invoice #s 4-15637 & 4-15655 | 2990-000 | | 10,000.00 | 1,621,710.86 |
| 05/31/24 | 118 | Westwind Helicopters | Invoice #13144 | 2990-000 | | 9,607.92 | 1,612,102.94 |
| 05/31/24 | 119 | Thomas Dykes | M&M Contract Labor - May 2024 | 2990-000 | | 16,000.00 | 1,596,102.94 |
| 06/10/24 | 112 | Connection Business Solutions | Invoice #17005694 Stopped: check issued on 05/31/2024 | 2990-005 | | -3,715.00 | 1,599,817.94 |
| 06/10/24 | 120 | Veritrust | Inv #1125378 | 2990-000 | | 50,335.22 | 1,549,482.72 |
| 06/10/24 | 121 | Dartpoints | Invoice #s 130285 & 130030 | 2990-000 | | 5,760.60 | 1,543,722.12 |
| 06/21/24 | 122 | Michael D. Warner | 80% Fees - May 2024 Voided on 06/27/2024 | 2100-004 | | 11,598.60 | 1,532,123.52 |
| 06/21/24 | 123 | TPS - West, LLC | 80% fees/100% expenses - May 2024 | | | 1,665.96 | 1,530,457.56 |
| | | TPS - West, LLC | 80% fees May 2024 fee request | 2990-000 | | | |
| | | TPS - West, LLC | \$1,651.20 100% expenses May 2024 fee request \$14.76 | 2990-000 | | | |
| 06/21/24 | 124 | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan LLC | 80% fees/100% expenses - May 2024 | | | 189,595.10 | 1,340,862.46 |
| | | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan LLC | 80% fees May 2024 fee request \$164,256.00 | 3210-000 | | | |
| | | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan LLC | 100% expenses May 2024 fee request \$25,339.10 | 3220-000 | | | |
| 06/25/24 | 125 | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 80% fees/100% expenses - May 2024 | | | 26,441.20 | 1,314,421.26 |
| | | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 80% fees May 2024 fee request \$26.134.00 | 2990-000 | | | |
| | | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | 100% expenses May 2024 fee request | 2990-000 | | | |
| 06/27/24 | 122 | Michael D. Warner | \$307.20 80% Fees - May 2024 Voided: check issued on 06/21/2024 | 2100-004 | | -11,598.60 | 1,326,019.86 |

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For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Taxpayer ID #:

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******9687 Checking

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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|----------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Trans. Date | Check or Ref. # | Paid To / Received From | Description of Transaction | Uniform Tran. Code | Deposit \$ | Disbursement \$ | Account Balance |
| 06/27/24 | 126 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones, LLP | 80% Fees - May 2024 | 2100-000 | | 11,598.60 | 1,314,421.26 |
| 07/08/24 | 127 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #9951 | 2990-000 | | 10,171.00 | 1,304,250.26 |
| 07/08/24 | 128 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | Weeks ending: 5.31.24; 6.7.24; 6.14.24; 6.21.24; 6.28.24 | 2990-000 | | 7,800.00 | 1,296,450.26 |
| 07/08/24 | 129 | Forefront Emergency Management | Invoice #4-15762 | 2990-000 | | 15,000.00 | 1,281,450.26 |
| 07/08/24 | 130 | Grand Isle Shipyards | Invoice #: *****-0001 | 2990-000 | | 1,768.86 | 1,279,681.40 |
| 07/08/24 | 131 | American Eagle Trucking | Invoice #2461253 | 2990-000 | | 700.00 | 1,278,981.40 |
| 07/08/24 | 132 | Connection Business Solutions | Invoice #: 17005831 | 2990-000 | | 6,988.80 | 1,271,992.60 |
| 07/08/24 | 133 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | Past due balance owed for work performed prior to 5.28.24 | 2990-000 | | 525.00 | 1,271,467.60 |
| 07/08/24 | 134 | RANDY WILLIAMS | Final Fee Amount due | 2100-000 | | 32,908.26 | 1,238,559.34 |
| 07/08/24 | 135 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | 6.1.24 - 6.30.24 | 2990-000 | | 30,400.00 | 1,208,159.34 |
| 07/08/24 | 136 | Johnny Robinson | 6.1.24 - 6.30.24 | 2990-000 | | 2,500.00 | 1,205,659.34 |
| 07/08/24 | 137 | Lawrence Boyd | 6.1.24 - 6.30.24 | 2990-000 | | 7,200.00 | 1,198,459.34 |
| 07/08/24 | 138 | Michael Graham | 6.1.24 - 6.30.24 | 2990-000 | | 6,210.00 | 1,192,249.34 |
| 08/05/24 | | North Lane Technologies, Inc. | Credit | 1290-000 | 430.33 | | 1,192,679.67 |
| 08/05/24 | | North Lane Technologies, Inc. | DirecTV Credit | 1290-000 | 298.83 | | 1,192,978.50 |
| 08/05/24 | | North Lane Technologies, Inc. | DirecTV Credit | 1290-000 | 315.31 | | 1,193,293.81 |
| 08/05/24 | 139 | Veritrust | Invoice #1127216 | 2990-000 | | 28,131.89 | 1,165,161.92 |
| 08/05/24 | 140 | Dartpoints | Invoice #s: 131630, 131374 & 132617 | 2990-000 | | 8,162.20 | 1,156,999.72 |
| 08/05/24 | 141 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #9985 | 2990-000 | | 10,171.00 | 1,146,828.72 |
| 08/05/24 | 142 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | Weeks Ending: 7/5/24, 7/12/24; 7/19/24 & 7/26/24 | 2990-000 | | 2,775.00 | 1,144,053.72 |
| 08/05/24 | 143 | Manta Ray Gathering Company L.L.C. | Invoice #305908238 | 2990-000 | | 18,845.98 | 1,125,207.74 |
| 08/05/24 | 144 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | M&M Contract Labor (July 2024) | 2990-000 | | 42,600.00 | 1,082,607.74 |
| 08/05/24 | 145 | Johnny Robinson | M&M Contract Labor (July 2024) | 2990-000 | | 2,500.00 | 1,080,107.74 |
| 08/05/24 | 146 | Lawrence Boyd | M&M Contract Labor (July 2024) | 2990-000 | | 10,400.00 | 1,069,707.74 |
| 08/05/24 | 147 | Michael Graham | M&M Contract Labor (July 2024) | 2990-000 | | 8,970.00 | 1,060,737.74 |
| 08/05/24 | 148 | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC | Monthly Fee Statement (June 2024) 80% fees/100% expenses | 7100-000 | | 123,296.78 | 937,440.96 |
| 08/05/24 | 149 | TPS - West, LLC | Monthly Fee Statement (June 2024) 80% fees/100% expenses | 7100-000 | | 9,796.09 | 927,644.87 |
| 08/05/24 | 150 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | Monthly Fee Statement (June 2024) - 80% fees | 7100-000 | | 6,760.36 | 920,884.51 |

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Taxpayer ID #:

L.L.C. Cox Oil Offshore

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Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

*****9687 Checking Account #:

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

| For Period | l Ending: | 08/18/2025 | Separate Bond (if app | olicable): \$4,00 | 00,000.00 | | |
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| 08/26/24 | | North Lane Technologies Inc. | DirecTv Refund Credit | 1290-000 | 1,561.77 | | 922,446.28 |
| 09/05/24 | 151 | Dartpoints | Inv #132874 | 2990-000 | | 3,359.00 | 919,087.28 |
| 09/05/24 | 152 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoices 10019 & 10055 | 2990-000 | | 12,467.00 | 906,620.28 |
| 09/05/24 | 153 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | W/E 8.2.24, 8.9.24, 8.16.24, 8.23.24 and 8.30.24 | 2990-000 | | 4,575.00 | 902,045.28 |
| 09/05/24 | 154 | Clean Gulf Associates | 4th Quarter | 2990-000 | | 5,000.00 | 897,045.28 |
| 09/05/24 | 155 | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC | July 2024 monthly fee statement (80% fees/100% expenses) | 7100-000 | | 105,512.21 | 791,533.07 |
| 09/05/24 | 156 | TPS - West, LLC | July monthly fee statement (80% fees/100% expenses) | 7100-000 | | 5,885.26 | 785,647.81 |
| 09/05/24 | 157 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | August 2024 services | 2990-000 | | 35,200.00 | 750,447.81 |
| 09/05/24 | 158 | Johnny Robinson | August 2024 services | 2990-000 | | 2,500.00 | 747,947.81 |
| 09/05/24 | 159 | Lawrence Boyd | August 2024 services | 2990-000 | | 10,400.00 | 737,547.81 |
| 09/05/24 | 160 | Michael Graham | August 2024 services | 2990-000 | | 8,970.00 | 728,577.81 |
| 10/09/24 | | To Account #*****3772 | Settlement Funds Transfer | 9999-000 | | 100,000.00 | 628,577.81 |
| 10/21/24 | 161 | Dartpoints | Invoices 133867, 134119, 135179 & 135180 | 2990-000 | | 11,521.20 | 617,056.61 |
| 10/21/24 | 162 | Compliance Technology Group | Inv #10055 & 10090 | 2990-000 | | 3,696.00 | 613,360.61 |
| 10/21/24 | 163 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | W/E: 9.13.24, 9.20.24, 9.27.24, 10.4.24, and 10.11.24 | 2990-000 | | 3,675.00 | 609,685.61 |
| 10/21/24 | 164 | Veritrust | Inv #s 1128308, 1129406, and 1130440 | 2990-000 | | 44,316.78 | 565,368.83 |
| 10/21/24 | 165 | FileLink | Inv #s 208567, 209599, and 209839 | 2990-000 | | 9,352.00 | 556,016.83 |
| 10/21/24 | 166 | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC | August 2024 Fee Statement (Dkt. 2241 - 80% fees/100% expenses) | 7100-000 | | 140,171.49 | 415,845.34 |
| 10/21/24 | 167 | TPS - West, LLC | August 1-31 Fee Statement (Dkt. 2242) - 80% Fees/100% Expenses | 7100-000 | | 4,067.20 | 411,778.14 |
| 10/21/24 | 168 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | July 1 - August 31, 2024 Fee Statement (Dkt. 2211) - 80% Fees: \$9,469.95 | 2100-000 | | 9,469.95 | 402,308.19 |
| 10/21/24 | 169 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | September Invoice | 2990-000 | | 27,800.00 | 374,508.19 |
| 10/21/24 | 170 | Johnny Robinson | September Invoice | 2990-000 | | 2,500.00 | 372,008.19 |
| 11/05/24 | 171 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #10124 | 2990-000 | | 2,996.00 | 369,012.19 |
| 11/05/24 | 172 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | W/E: 10.18.24, 10.25.24, and 11.2.24 | 2990-000 | | 2,100.00 | 366,912.19 |
| 11/05/24 | 173 | TPS - West, LLC | September 2024 Fee Statement (80% fees/100% expenses) | 7100-000 | | 18,026.40 | 348,885.79 |
| 11/05/24 | 174 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | Oct 2024 | 2990-000 | | 34,000.00 | 314,885.79 |

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08/18/2025

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******9687 Checking

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 12/10/24 | 175 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 11-8-24; 11-15-24; 11-22-24; 11-29-24 | 2990-000 | | 2,550.00 | 312,335.79 |
| 12/10/24 | 176 | Veritrust | Inv# 1131690 | 2990-000 | | 5,268.14 | 307,067.65 |
| 12/10/24 | 177 | FileLink | Invoice #s 210233 & 210318 | 2990-000 | | 504.00 | 306,563.65 |
| 12/10/24 | 178 | Michael D. Warner | 80% fees per September-October 2024 fee statement [Dkt. 2291] | 7100-000 | | 10,810.51 | 295,753.14 |
| 12/10/24 | 179 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | November 2024 | 2990-000 | | 25,600.00 | 270,153.14 |
| 12/18/24 | 180 | Chamberlain Hrdlicka | Balance due per Court Order [Dkt. 2317] | 2990-000 | | 65,085.98 | 205,067.16 |
| 01/07/25 | 181 | Dartpoints | Invoice #s137860, 138103, 136502, 136785 | 2990-000 | | 11,521.20 | 193,545.96 |
| 01/07/25 | 182 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | W/E: 12.6.24, 12.13.24, 12.20.24, 12.27.24 Voided on 02/24/2025 | 2990-004 | | 2,175.00 | 191,370.96 |
| 01/07/25 | 183 | Neuralog | Invoice #:201620337 Voided on 02/20/2025 | 2990-004 | | 4,275.88 | 187,095.08 |
| 01/07/25 | 184 | Clean Gulf Associates | Invoice #: 2511017 | 2990-000 | | 5,000.00 | 182,095.08 |
| 01/07/25 | 185 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #: 10184 | 2990-000 | | 2,996.00 | 179,099.08 |
| 01/07/25 | 186 | TPS - West, LLC | 80% Fees/100% Expenses October Fee Statement (Dkt. 2319) | 7100-000 | | 4,414.60 | 174,684.48 |
| 01/07/25 | 187 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | Nov. 2024 | 2990-000 | | 20,000.00 | 154,684.48 |
| 01/30/25 | | To Account #*****9687 | Deposited in Cash Collateral Account in error. | 9999-000 | 25,000.00 | | 179,684.48 |
| 02/11/25 | 188 | Dartpoints | Invoice #s 139072, 139311, 140338, 140575 | 2990-000 | | 11,521.20 | 168,163.28 |
| 02/11/25 | 189 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 1.3.25, 1.10.25, 1.17.25, 1.24.25, and 1.31.25 | 2990-000 | | 2,700.00 | 165,463.28 |
| 02/11/25 | 190 | Compliance Technology Group | Invoice #10184 | 2990-000 | | 2,996.00 | 162,467.28 |
| 02/11/25 | 191 | FileLink | Invoice #s 210581 & 210817 | 2990-000 | | 504.00 | 161,963.28 |
| 02/11/25 | 192 | Pride Oil & Gas Properties, Inc. | Invoice #125018 | 2990-000 | | 250.00 | 161,713.28 |
| 02/11/25 | 193 | Michael D. Warner | 20% Holdback of 1st Interim Fee Application (5.6.24 - 9.30.24) Voided on 03/10/2025 | 7100-004 | | 9,492.89 | 152,220.39 |
| 02/11/25 | 194 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | Contract Labor | 2990-000 | | 27,500.00 | 124,720.39 |
| 02/20/25 | 183 | Neuralog | Invoice #:201620337 Voided: check issued on 01/07/2025 | 2990-004 | | -4,275.88 | 128,996.27 |
| 02/24/25 | 182 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | W/E: 12.6.24, 12.13.24, 12.20.24, 12.27.24 Voided: check issued on 01/07/2025 | 2990-004 | | -2,175.00 | 131,171.27 |
| 02/24/25 | 195 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 12.6.24, 12.13.24, 12.20.24 and 12.27.24 | 2990-000 | | 2,175.00 | 128,996.27 |

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For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Taxpayer ID #:

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

*****9687 Checking Account #:

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 03/04/25 | | Chamberlain, Hrdlicka, White, Williams & Aughtry | Overpayment of expenses to counsel of interim trustee | 1290-000 | 532.80 | | 129,529.07 |
| 03/10/25 | 193 | Michael D. Warner | 20% Holdback of 1st Interim Fee Application (5.6.24 - 9.30.24) Voided: check issued on 02/11/2025 | 7100-004 | | -9,492.89 | 139,021.96 |
| 03/10/25 | 196 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 2.7.25, 2.14.25, 2.21.25, and 2.28.25 | 2990-000 | | 2,625.00 | 136,396.96 |
| 03/10/25 | 197 | Veritrust | Inv. #s 1137702, 1136422, and 1135128 | 2990-000 | | 17,911.68 | 118,485.28 |
| 03/10/25 | 198 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | 20% Holdback of 1st Interim Fee Application (5.6.24 - 9.30.24) | 7100-000 | | 9,492.89 | 108,992.39 |
| 03/10/25 | 199 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | 80% fees/100% expenses (November - Dec 2024 monthly fee application; Dkt #:2376 | 7100-000 | | 6,147.13 | 102,845.26 |
| 03/10/25 | 200 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | Feb 2025 | 2990-000 | | 21,200.00 | 81,645.26 |
| 03/25/25 | 201 | Dartpoints | Inv. #141542 (Feb 2025 invoice) | 2990-000 | | 2,401.60 | 79,243.66 |
| 03/25/25 | 202 | Dartpoints | Inv #141981 (Dismantling of data center) Voided on 03/25/2025 | 2990-004 | | 1,800.00 | 77,443.66 |
| 03/25/25 | 202 | Dartpoints | Inv #141981 (Dismantling of data center) Voided: check issued on 03/25/2025 | 2990-004 | | -1,800.00 | 79,243.66 |
| 03/25/25 | 203 | Dartpoints | Invoice #s 141981 and 141982 (fee for dismantling both data centers) | 2990-000 | | 3,600.00 | 75,643.66 |
| 03/25/25 | 204 | Dartpoints | Invoice #141777 (Feb 2025 invoice) | 2990-000 | | 3,359.00 | 72,284.66 |
| 04/02/25 | 205 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 3.7.25, 3.14.25, 3.21.25 and 3.28.25 | 2990-000 | | 3,000.00 | 69,284.66 |
| 04/02/25 | 206 | Veritrust | Inv# 1139414 | 2990-000 | | 6,321.77 | 62,962.89 |
| 04/02/25 | 207 | FileLink | Invoice # 25220061 | 2990-000 | | 252.00 | 62,710.89 |
| 04/02/25 | 208 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | March 2025 | 2990-000 | | 16,800.00 | 45,910.89 |
| 04/02/25 | 209 | TPS - West, LLC | 80% Fees/100% Expenses November 2024 Fee Statement (Dkt. 2370) | 7100-000 | | 1,624.60 | 44,286.29 |
| 05/14/25 | | To Account #*****9687 | Remaining balance from Hedron Settlement Sub-Account | 9999-000 | 1,300,000.00 | | 1,344,286.29 |
| 05/14/25 | | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC | WIRE TO STEWART ROBBINS BROWN A | 8500-002 | | 800,000.00 | 544,286.29 |
| 05/19/25 | 210 | FileLink | Invoice #s 25220365, 25220621 & 25220497 | 2990-000 | | 4,004.00 | 540,282.29 |
| 05/20/25 | 211 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | 80% fees/100% expenses (Jan - March 2024 MFA - Dkt. 2434) | 2100-000 | | 8,126.00 | 532,156.29 |
| 05/21/25 | 212 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 4.4.25, 4.11.25, 4.18.25, 4.25.25, 5.2.25 | 2990-000 | | 2,625.00 | 529,531.29 |
| 05/21/25 | 213 | Veritrust | Inv. #1140687 | 2990-000 | | 6,321.77 | 523,209.52 |
| 05/21/25 | 214 | Dartpoints | Inv #s 142989 & 142756 | 2990-000 | | 5,760.60 | 517,448.92 |

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For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Taxpayer ID #:

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******9687 Checking

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 05/21/25 | 215 | TPS - West, LLC | December 2024 Monthly Fee Statement | 2990-000 | | 630.00 | 516,818.92 |
| 05/21/25 | 216 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | April 2024 | 2990-000 | | 17,000.00 | 499,818.92 |
| 06/09/25 | 217 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | Reimbursement of Trustee bond premiums Voided on 06/09/2025 | 2300-004 | | 6,570.00 | 493,248.92 |
| 06/09/25 | 217 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | Reimbursement of Trustee bond premiums Voided: check issued on 06/09/2025 | 2300-004 | | -6,570.00 | 499,818.92 |
| 06/09/25 | 220 | Veritrust | Invoice #: 1138490 | 2990-000 | | 43,563.84 | 456,255.08 |
| 06/13/25 | 219 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | Reimbursement of Trustee bond premiums | 2300-000 | | 6,570.00 | 449,685.08 |
| 06/16/25 | 218 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | May fee statement (80% fees: \$252,872.19; 100% expenses: \$10.27) | 2100-000 | | 252,882.46 | 196,802.62 |
| 06/16/25 | 221 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 5.9.25, 5.16.25, 5.23.25, 5.30.25 | 2990-000 | | 2,175.00 | 194,627.62 |
| 06/16/25 | 222 | Veritrust | Inv. #1141925 | 2990-000 | | 6,349.61 | 188,278.01 |
| 06/16/25 | 223 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | April 2025 Fee Statement (80% Fees/100% expenses) Voided on 06/18/2025 | 7100-004 | | 8,969.10 | 179,308.91 |
| 06/16/25 | 224 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | 6.1.25 | 2990-000 | | 20,000.00 | 159,308.91 |
| 06/18/25 | 223 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | April 2025 Fee Statement (80% Fees/100% expenses) Voided: check issued on 06/16/2025 | 7100-004 | | -8,969.10 | 168,278.01 |
| 06/30/25 | 225 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | April Fee Statement [Dkt. 2464] 80% fees/100% expenses | 2100-000 | | 2,969.10 | 165,308.91 |
| 07/08/25 | 226 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 6.6.25, 6.13.25, 6.20.25, and 6.27.25 | 2990-000 | | 2,100.00 | 163,208.91 |
| 07/08/25 | 227 | TPS-West, LLC | 80% fees/100% expenses (Jan 2025 MFA - Dkt. 2468) | 3410-000 | | 2,413.54 | 160,795.37 |
| 07/08/25 | 228 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | June 2025 | 2990-000 | | 10,000.00 | 150,795.37 |
| 07/15/25 | 229 | Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP | M. Warner June Monthly Fee Statement (92328) - 80% fees/100% expenses | 2100-000 | | 1,990.72 | 148,804.65 |
| 07/16/25 | | | WIRE FROM STEWART ROBBINS BROW | | 16,462.22 | | 165,266.87 |
| | | | \$16,462.22 | | | | |
| 08/11/25 | 230 | NJZ Computer Services, LLC | w/e 7.4.25, 7.11.25, 7.18.25, 7.25.25, 8.1.25 | 2990-000 | | ! 2,775.00 | 162,491.87 |
| 08/11/25 | 231 | Pride Oil & Gas Properties, Inc. | Inv. #125004 | 2990-000 | | ! 1,905.50 | 160,586.37 |
| 08/11/25 | 232 | TRDkyes & Co, LLC | July 2025 | 2990-000 | | ! 18,000.00 | 142,586.37 |

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Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

*****9687 Checking Account #:

Blanket Bond (per case limit):

| For Period | For Period Ending: 08/18/2025 | | Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00 | | | | | | | |
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| | | [7 | Account | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Balance Forward | 0.0 | 00 | | | | |
| | | | 5 | Deposits | 3,139.0 |)4 | 132 | | Checks | 2,381,392.94 |
| | | | 0 | Interest Postings | 0.0 | 00 | 2 | Adjustm | ents Out | 800,010.00 |
| | | | | Subtotal | 3,139.0 | 04 | 1 | Trans | fers Out | 100,000.00 |
| | | | 3 | Adjustments In | 2,095,850.2 | 27 | | | Total | 3,281,402.94 |
| | | | 2 | Transfers In | 1,325,000.0 | 00 | | | | |
| | | | | Total | 3,423,989.3 | 31 | | | | |
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Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

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Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 07/18/24 | | Badger Energy LLC | Cash Collateral - Representing Revenue | 1290-000 | 2.57 | | 2.57 |
| 07/18/24 | | Poston Minerals LLC | Cash Collateral - Representing Revenue | 1290-000 | 134.80 | | 137.37 |
| 07/18/24 | | Paylocity Corporation | Cash Collteral - COBRA Reimbursement | 1290-000 | 4,661.44 | | 4,798.81 |
| 07/18/24 | | Paylocity Corporation | Cash Collateral - COBRA Reimbursement | 1290-000 | 14,690.79 | | 19,489.60 |
| 07/18/24 | | Paylocity Corporation | Cash Collateral - COBRA Reimbursement | 1290-000 | 7,872.52 | | 27,362.12 |
| 10/18/24 | | Natural Resources Worldwide, LLC | NRW Transfer | 1290-000 | 25,000.00 | | 52,362.12 |
| 01/30/25 | | To Account #*****9687 | Deposited in Cash Collateral Account in error. | 9999-000 | | 25,000.00 | 27,362.12 |
| 02/25/25 | | Stone Pigman Walther Witmann LLC | Funds held by former special counsel | 1290-000 | 108,093.42 | | 135,455.54 |

| Account | | | | | |
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| | Balance Forward | 0.00 | | | |
| 7 | Deposits | 160,455.54 | 0 | Checks | 0.00 |
| 0 | Interest Postings | 0.00 | 0 | Adjustments Out | 0.00 |
| | Subtotal | 160,455.54 | 1 | Transfers Out | 25,000.00 |
| 0 | Adjustments In | 0.00 | | Total | 25,000.00 |
| 0 | Transfers In | 0.00 | | | |
| | Total | 160,455.54 | | | |

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Taxpayer ID #: For Period Ending: 08/18/2025 Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank *****3772 DOJ Settlement Funds Account #:

Blanket Bond (per case limit):

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 10/09/24 | | To Account #*****3772 | Settlement Funds Transfer | 9999-000 | 100,000.00 | | 100,000.00 |
| 12/31/24 | 300001 | Bureau of Ocean Energy Management | DOJ Settlement - Abandonment Motion | 2990-000 | | 100,000.00 | 0.00 |

| Account | | | | | |
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| | Balance Forward | 0.00 | | | |
| 0 | Deposits | 0.00 | 1 | Checks | 100,000.00 |
| 0 | Interest Postings | 0.00 | 0 | Adjustments Out | 0.00 |
| | Subtotal | 0.00 | 0 | Transfers Out | 0.00 |
| 0 | Adjustments In | 0.00 | | Total | 100,000.00 |
| 1 | Transfers In | 100,000.00 | | | |
| | Total | 100,000.00 | | | |
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Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470) Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

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Blanket Bond (per case limit):

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

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| 03/11/25 | | Stewart Robbins Brown & Altazan, LLC | WIRE FROM STEWART ROBBINS BROW | 1290-000 | 250,000.00 | | 250,000.00 |

| Account | | | | | |
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| | Balance Forward | 0.00 | | | |
| 0 | Deposits | 0.00 | 0 | Checks | 0.00 |
| 0 | Interest Postings | 0.00 | 0 | Adjustments Out | 0.00 |
| | Subtotal | 0.00 | 0 | Transfers Out | 0.00 |
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| | Total | 250,000.00 | | | |
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For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Taxpayer ID #:

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******1353 Hedron Settlement Account

Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|----------------|--------------------|---|--|-----------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Trans. Date | Check or Ref. # | Paid To / Received From | Description of Transaction | Uniform Tran. Code | Deposit \$ | Disbursement \$ | Account Balance |
| 05/13/25 | | Frilot LLC Iolta | WIRE FROM FRILOT LLC IOLTA | 1290-000 | 11,000,000.00 | | 11,000,000.00 |
| 05/13/25 | | Incoming Wire - Hedron | Incoming Wire - Hedron | 1290-000 | 11,000,000.00 | | 22,000,000.00 |
| 05/13/25 | | Amarillo National Bank | WIRE TO AMARILLO NATIONAL BANK | 8500-002 | | 3,316,666.00 | 18,683,334.00 |
| 05/13/25 | | Fishman Haygood, LLP | WIRE TO IOLTA FISHMAN HAYGOOD LLP | 8500-002 | | 3,550,000.00 | 15,133,334.00 |
| 05/13/25 | | Hall Maines Lugrin PC IOLTA Trust Account | WIRE TO HALL MAINES LUGRIN PC IOL | 8500-002 | | 2,833,334.00 | 12,300,000.00 |
| 05/13/25 | | Incoming Wire - Hedron | Incoming Wire - Hedron | 1290-000 | -11,000,000.00 | | 1,300,000.00 |
| 05/14/25 | | To Account #*****9687 | Remaining balance from Hedron Settlement Sub-Account | 9999-000 | | 1,300,000.00 | 0.00 |

| Account | | | | | |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|---|-----------------|---------------|
| | Balance Forward | 0.00 | | | |
| 0 | Deposits | 0.00 | 0 | Checks | 0.00 |
| 0 | Interest Postings | 0.00 | 4 | Adjustments Out | 20,700,000.00 |
| | Subtotal | 0.00 | 1 | Transfers Out | 1,300,000.00 |
| 2 | Adjustments In | 22,000,000.00 | | Total | 22,000,000.00 |
| 0 | Transfers In | 0.00 | | | |
| | Total | 22,000,000.00 | | | |
| | | | | | |

Page Subtotals: \$11,000,000.00 \$11,000,000.00

 Case No.:
 23-90324

 Case Name:
 MLCJR LLC L.L.C. Cox Oil Offshore

Taxpayer ID #: **-***0875
For Period Ending: 08/18/2025

Trustee Name: Michael D. Warner (631470)

Bank Name: Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Account #: ******1353 Hedron Settlement Account

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Blanket Bond (per case limit): N/A

Separate Bond (if applicable): \$4,000,000.00

| Net Receipts: | \$13,509,434.85 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Plus Gross Adjustments: | \$0.00 |
| Less Payments to Debtor: | \$0.00 |
| Less Other Noncompensable Items: | \$10,500,000.00 |
| Net Estate: | \$3,009,434.85 |

| TOTAL - ALL ACCOUNTS | NET DEPOSITS | NET DISBURSEMENTS | ACCOUNT BALANCES |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|
| ******9687 Checking | \$2,098,979.31 | \$3,181,392.94 | \$142,586.37 |
| *****5635 Cash Collateral | \$160,455.54 | \$0.00 | \$135,455.54 |
| ******3772 DOJ Settlement Funds | \$0.00 | \$100,000.00 | \$0.00 |
| *****7203 WT Asset Sale Proceeds | \$250,000.00 | \$0.00 | \$250,000.00 |
| ******1353 Hedron Settlement Account | \$11,000,000.00 | \$9,700,000.00 | \$0.00 |
| | \$13,509,434.85 | \$12,981,392.94 | \$528,041.91 |